

A CATECHISM AND ITS ANSWERS

(By T. W. Paterson.)
The Colonist propounds a number of questions to me this morning, most of which are evidently intended only to cloud the issues and therefore require no answer. Those which are more or less pertinent to the subject I will discuss.

I am asked, shortly, if I impugn the actions or motives of E. P. Davis, Mr. Davis acted in a professional capacity, and it is not part of his work to consider the motives of his principals. He might not be in their confidence in that respect; he probably was not. But even if he were, his conduct would be no more reprehensible than that of another professedly ardent Liberal who claims, and has received recognition from the Liberal party, and who has directed two of the most outrageous campaigns ever seen in this province in the interests of the Conservatives.

The Colonist also asks if I believe that Mr. McBride has stated what was false in saying he would do his best to secure control of C. N. rates. Evidently both the Vancouver and Victoria Boards of Trade have some misgivings on that point or they would not have jointly considered the situation. As to the general reliability of Mr. McBride's promises, I speak of a man only as I have had experience with him. A man who the night before his call to form a government stood up among his supporters and striking the table declared: "Boys, I am going to stand by the men who stood by me," and twenty-four hours later basely betrayed them, cannot again fairly ask those men to accept his assurances.

In regard to the next four questions it is not necessary for me to say that we are not discussing only the question of advantage to this or that locality, but of cost as well. Only political wasters, spendthrifts, or gamblers would eliminate the last feature. I am asked to give the grounds for my suggestion that the C. N. may become the property of the C.P.R., I have already done so. When the circumstances I have already adduced are met and answered by the editor of the Colonist I may submit a few more for the consideration of the electorate.

The next two questions the Colonist editor might include in his political primer. My views on them, or those of any one else, have little bearing on the subject we have been discussing.

The last paragraph is intended to create the impression that the fact that I am interested in a railway charter via Bute Inlet invalidates my argument. Granting (which is not the case) that this circumstance affects my attitude, how does it affect my arguments? Surely on a matter of such grave moment, the views of any elector should be examined, and it seems to me that the validity of his arguments are no more affected by his private interests than are those of an editor who is paid to present a certain case.

I take from the Colonist's own news columns this morning, the following: "Montreal, Nov. 19.—Interviewed today Sir Thomas Shaughnessy remarked that the newspaper reports of a stormy interview between Premier McBride and himself on the occasion of his last visit to British Columbia are untrue. Their conversation, when Sir Thomas called to pay his respects, was quite friendly and agreeable. Sir Thomas stated that whatever opinion he may entertain about McBride's railway policy, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is not in politics, either in British Columbia or elsewhere."

Is it possible that the significance of this statement is lost on the editor of the Colonist? If so he is much duller than most of his readers, and certainly than his news editor who buried it on page fifteen of the paper instead of spreading it on the front page. Sir Thomas here takes pains to deny a dispatch from Victoria that his interview with Premier McBride, preceding the announcement of the latter's railway policy, was a stormy one. Sir Thomas says it "was quite friendly and agreeable. Now the Premier told a committee of the Victoria Board of Trade that at this interview he told Sir Thomas exactly what he proposed."

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HAPPY THOUGHT STRIKES COUNCIL

NEW SCHEME IN FORESHORE PROTECTION

Will Ask Provincial and Federal Governments to Look After Dallas Road.

The city council, sitting as a streets, sewers and bridges committee, demonstrated last evening that there is something new under the sun—for a heretofore unthought of proposal has now been made to settle the question of what steps ought to be taken to preserve the foreshore of the southern boundaries of the city, which is fast being eaten away owing to the wash of the waves during stormy weather. Since Victoria was incorporated in 1862 successive city councils have wrestled with the problem, but it remained for the city council of 1909 to blaze a new trail and pass responsibility in the matter onto other and broader shoulders. For it is now proposed in all seriousness to ask the federal and provincial governments to take the matter up.

The question came up for discussion at last evening's meeting on the reading of a communication from Senator Macdonald. The senator complained of the damage which is being done on Dallas road and made the suggestion that an outside barrier be erected to augment the protection already furnished by the concrete wall now in place.

The matter has been before the board so often that the members last evening were inclined to treat the whole thing as something in the nature of a joke, but Ald. Stewart finally gave the debate a serious turn by remarking that something ought to be done. He believed that the question ought to be referred to the incoming council.

FEDERATION WILL CONTINUE FIGHT

DECIDES TO APPEAL IN INJUNCTION CASE

Convention Authorizes Raising of Funds to Assist Labor Leaders.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Toronto, Ont., Nov. 20.—By a rising vote the convention of the American Federation of Labor yesterday approved a committee report endorsing the position taken by President Gompers in the Buck Stove & Range Co. injunction case, and protested against the "unjudicial and intemperate language" used by Justice Wright in sentencing Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison to jail for contempt of court.

The convention went on record as favoring a bill for an eight-hour day, a uniform employers' liability law, the establishment of a department of labor independent of any other department under the government, Asiatic exclusion, the hatters' strike and the Porto Rican labor movement.

Child and convict labor and the ship subsidy were opposed.

Cobalt, Ont., Nov. 20.—Vicario Scalo, the Italian who stabbed James Stevens in a row at the Cobalt section house on Sunday, has been sentenced to ten years in Kingston penitentiary by Magistrate Atkinson.



SHEARING TIME.
W. M. (from the background)—"Shear him close, Dan. Remember, it's the last of the flock."

TOWN THREATENED WITH DESTRUCTION

VOLCANO ON TENERIFFE AGAIN IN ERUPTION

Lava is Flowing Toward Santiago and Inhabitants Flee in Terror.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Madrid, Nov. 20.—Bursting out with renewed fury, the volcano Saborey is in eruption again to-day on the island of Teneriffe, one of the Canary group, according to advices received here.

After a short eruption yesterday, which terrorized the inhabitants, the activities of the volcano subsided.

According to the reports to-day the eruption is worse than that of yesterday. A stream of lava 38 feet wide and fifteen feet deep has started rolling down the mountain side. The molten torrent is headed directly for the town of Santiago, near its base.

The inhabitants have fled from the town and are hurrying to the sea coast.

Terror reigns. It is believed that there will be eruptions from other mountains, several of which are showing evidences of volcanic activity.

The people of Guia, Led and Tanquehillo, who deserted the towns yesterday when the first eruption occurred, remained in the open last night, as they feared that an eruption might take place during the night.

LLOYDS' INSPECTION WILL BE ACCEPTED

Bill Introduced in Dominion House to Amend the Shipping Act.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 20.—J. H. Sinclair (Guyaborough) introduced a bill yesterday afternoon in the Commons to amend the Canadian shipping act so as to obviate the requirement of double inspection of Canadian registered vessels. The bill provides that if the vessel has been inspected by Lloyds, then Canadian inspection may be dispensed with.

FIRE IN MILITIA BUILDING AT OTTAWA

Upper Story of Structure Gutted—Stores Damaged by Water.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Fire which started in the militia stores branch, on the driveway between the drill hall and the Collegiate Institute, at 8 o'clock this morning destroyed the roof and gutted the upper story. The contents of the lower stories, militia clothing and rubber goods, were damaged by water. The loss amounts to about \$25,000.

GAINS VICTORY OVER OIL TRUST

U. S. GOVERNMENT SUCCESSFUL IN SUIT

Judgment in Action to Dissolve Parent Rockefeller Concern.

(Times Leased Wire.)
St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 20.—The government to-day won the great suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the parent Rockefeller concern of \$100,000,000 capital.

The decision was announced in the United States Circuit Court by Judge Elmer B. Adams.

The government case brought under the direction of former President Roosevelt, was conducted by Frank B. Kellogg, special deputy attorney-general.

The only exceptions made in favor of the oil trust are in relation to some of the minor subsidiary companies, which were named as defendants. These, it is held, are not clearly shown to be dominated by the trust.

The orders of the court affecting the Standard Oil Corporation do not take effect for thirty days.

An appeal can be made directly to the United States Supreme Court, and it is expected that the Standard will take such action.

The opinion was written by Judge Walter Sanborn. The court finds that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and the individual defendants, including the chief figures in the oil trust, and several subsidiary companies have entered into a combination in restraint of trade among the several states, such as is declared illegal by the Sherman anti-trust law. The opinion is unanimous.

Judge Hook also wrote a separate opinion, making a number of points for the government stronger than in the opinion read by the court.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey is enjoined from voting the stock of the subsidiary companies by holding their stock.

Other defendant companies are enjoined from declaring or paying any dividends to the Standard of New Jersey on account of stock acquired through combination or from permitting a combination vote of the said stock.

Under the decision John D. Rockefeller, William Rockefeller, H. Rogers, Henry Flagler, John D. Archbold, Oliver Payne and Charles Pratt, as individuals, are held to have united with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey to effect a combination which was participated in by the following companies: Anglo-American Oil Company, Ltd., Atlantic Refining Company, Buckeye Pipeline Company, the Colonial Oil Company, the Continental Oil Company, the Crescent Pipeline Company, the Corsicana Refining Company, the Eureka Pipeline Company, the Galena Signal Oil Company, the Indiana Pipeline Company, the Manhattan Oil Company, National Transit Company, Prairie Oil & Gas Company, Security Oil Company, Solar Refining Company, Southern Pipeline Company, Southern Pennsylvania Oil Company, Southwest Pennsylvania Pipeline Company, the Standard Oil Companies of California, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky or Nebraska, New York and Ohio, the Swan & Finch Company, the Union Tank Line Company, Vacuum Oil Company, Washington Oil Company and Waters-Pierce Oil Company.

Thirty eight other defendant companies were dismissed, the court holding that they were not proved conclusively to have been involved in the combination in restraint of trade.

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SIR HIBBERT HERE TO-NIGHT

WILL SPEAK AT BROAD ST. HALL

Will Turn the Light on Premier McBride's Notorious Railway Agreement.

Intense interest has been aroused amongst the adherents of both parties in the city over the speech which Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper will deliver at Broad street hall this evening under the auspices of his Conservative friends in Victoria, who cannot swallow the notorious railway contract which Premier McBride has made with D. D. Mann. The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock, but so great will be the crowd seeking admission to the hall that it would be well for all desirous of hearing one of the best public speakers in Canada to be on hand early if they would get a good seat.

Sir Hibbert has delivered a series of addresses at other points in the province, and his condemnation of the contract has created a profound impression. Sir Hibbert tears the agreement to tatters and exposes in all its ghastly nakedness one of the most monumental conspiracies to gamble with the public credit which has ever been unmasked in the history of political knavery in any section of the British Empire.

All those in doubt about what they ought to do in the present election ought to go and hear him. Premier McBride is trusting to the precision of his well-oiled machine to land him in office again, but the machine is impotent with the large silent vote which is to be found in every community. It is to the silent vote that Sir Hibbert Tupper appeals. He will present arguments to them that they ought to hear and take to heart before they go to the polls on Thursday next and cast their ballots in what is assuredly one of the most important and vital contests which has ever been held in the province of British Columbia.

Premier McBride is speaking at the Conservative meeting in the A.O.U.W. hall this evening.

LOSES SIGHT.

Grand Forks, Nov. 20.—Mike Lyden, while employed on the dump at the Granby smelter, was struck in the ball of the right eye by a flying piece of steel. The sight of the eye was totally destroyed.

ATTAINS RANK OF LIEUT. COLONEL

A. W. CURRIE HAS BEEN PROMOTED

Popular Commanding Officer of Fifth Regiment Has Been Advanced.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Militia orders announce the appointment of A. W. Currie to be lieutenant-colonel and to command the Fifth, British Columbia regiment, garrison artillery, vice-Lieut. Col. Hall, transferred to reserve of officers.

Lieut.-Colonel Currie joined the Fifth regiment as gunner in the spring of 1897, and made his first appearance on parade as orderly to Colonel Gregory. In 1900 he became a lieutenant and was made a captain in 1901 and given command of No. 1 company. He held this command for nine years during seven of which the company won the general efficiency shield in the regiment. He was promoted to the rank of major in 1908, and took command of the Fifth regiment on August 1st this year.

In 1900 Lieut.-Colonel Currie went through a three months' course at the school of gunnery at Work Point and secured the highest mark in theoretical and practical gunnery ever given in Victoria, securing 95 per cent. He has always taken an intense interest in the regiment and is immensely popular.

Lieut.-Colonel Currie says he will try to make the Fifth regiment so interesting, that when men have served the three years they will want to remain another three. On Monday certain alterations to the drill hall will be commenced.

The band will be removed from the present room and put in the annex. The room vacated will be made into a reading room, for which \$100 worth of periodicals are now ordered. The room will be comfortably furnished, lighted and decorated.

Two billiard tables will be provided for the men's room and a gymnastic instructor has been secured.

Colonel Currie will lend his influence to have the regiment represented in every line of athletics going in the city. The regiment has made a splendid record in Canada as compared with other Canadian regiments, and he wants to keep up the efficiency and induce the men to remain with the regiment after the first three years have expired.

CROFTON TO BE SHIPPING PORT

POSSIBLE TERMINUS OF COWICHAN BAY LINE

Report Current That C. P. R. Will Acquire Former Smelter Townsite.

The report is current at Duncan that the C.P.R. has chosen the site of the tidewater terminus of the branch line of railway which is to tap Cowichan Lake country, this enterprise being mainly for the accommodation of the American Securities Company, which a few months ago purchased 54,000 acres of timber lands from the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company. It is declared that the C.P.R. has purchased or secured options on the smelter and on most of the property in Crofton, and that the pretty little townsite on the east coast of the island will shortly be the scene of renewed activity.

Though confirmation of this report is not obtainable from any of the officials of the C.P.R. at present in town, it is believed to be most probable that such a decision has been reached. Crofton is admirably situated to meet the needs of both the C.P.R. and the American Securities Company.

It will be recalled that in several interviews with the Times, E. B. Kurts, president of the timber company, said that a considerable townsite would be required at tidewater. The company would build a little community of four hundred souls, and the number of houses needed for their accommodation would be considerable. Whereas would be needed and extensive shipping facilities. Crofton would appear to suit these requirements admirably.

Crofton has had a brief but none the less interesting history. It sprang into prominence as a promising port on the east coast of the island when a large smelter was erected there in the fall of 1901 by Messrs. Brown and Helinger, who had leased the Lenora mine at Mount Sicker from the Lennox Mount Sicker Mining Company.

With the advent of the smelting company a townsite was laid out and lots found a ready sale. For a time the population of the little place numbered several hundred souls, and the outlook seemed very rosy. But with the closing down of the smelter a couple of years after it had been established, Crofton relapsed into its former state, and to-day there are few people resident.

Crofton lies above Duncan and a short distance south of Chemalms. It is in a direct line with Cowichan Lake, and would appear to be well situated to be tapped by the projected line of railway. The harbor is a good one and would no doubt prove suitable in every way to the purposes of the American Securities Company, which proposes to go into the lumber business on a large scale on Vancouver Island.

DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER DEAD

London, Nov. 20.—Consuelo, Duchess of Manchester, died early this morning of heart failure, following a short attack of neuritis.

At her bedside were Lady Lister-Kaye and Miss Emily Yznaga of New York, her sister.

EXPOSURE OF DEAL IN INDIAN LANDS


W. A. Lang Boasted of "Good Thing" He Expected to Land.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The news published here from British Columbia to the effect that W. A. Lang, Peachland, B.C., former president of the Conservative Association, had been promised by Premier McBride a big slice of the Okanagan Indian reserve at \$2.50 an acre, while it is worth from \$300 to \$400, has attracted considerable attention in Ottawa, where Lang is well known. In fact, Lang was in the city when the announcement was made. He had been here for several weeks, but left the day the political sensation was sprung in the Western province.

When he was in Ottawa, Lang spoke to his friends of a possible good thing he was going to land very soon. It was learned at his hotel that Lang gave out he was interested in a land deal of some kind. Politicians claim that his presence in Ottawa and what he said confirms the charges made against the government in British Columbia.

The transfer could take place only if McBride won the fight against the Dominion government for reversionary rights in Indian lands throughout the province. On account of the content in the courts this is not yet settled, and it is stated that is why Lang was in Ottawa so much during the past week.

Lang is a former Ottawa man, who was in the past business. It is understood he was here in connection with litigation respecting the provincial claim to Indian reserve lands and that the reference to the affair in the newspaper has produced in the West much excitement.



LIBERAL MEETINGS

Monday, Nov. 22—Oaklands Fire Hall
Tuesday, Nov. 23—Centre of the City
Wednesday, Nov. 24—Young Lib. Smoker

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- Or, per pound 35¢
- GOOD-COOKING BUTTER, per lb 25¢
- TOMATOES, Tartan brand, two large tins 25¢
- PEAS, CORN OR BEANS, Tartan brand, per tin 10¢
- NEW HALLOWI DATES, 3 lbs. for 25¢
- NEW CLEANED SULTANA RAISINS, per lb 10¢
- NEW CLEANED CURRANTS, 3 lbs. for 25¢
- NEW ENGLISH MIXED PEEL, per lb 15¢
- TRAVER'S WORCESTER SAUCE, three 1/2-pint bottles. 25¢
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to do—namely, go to the country on a Canadian Northern railway policy, which parallels the C.P.R. and invades its territory. Yet Sir Thomas says their interview was "quite friendly and agreeable." To any one familiar with the C.P.R. methods, temper, and policy, this statement will be, not circumstantial, but positive, proof that the danger, regarding which I have warned the people of British Columbia is a real one.

If any further evidence were required it lies in the fact that Sir Thomas while in Victoria expressed the hope that there would be no change in the government, until a dissolution of the House was obtained.

Since the editor of the Colonist has submitted to me a political catechism, which I have answered to the best of my ability, I trust he will give the same publicity to my answers that he has given to the questions.

**GAINS VICTORY
OVER OIL TRUST**

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This case is one of the most memorable in the record of jurisprudence. The defence was conducted by Morris Rosenthal, the famous thousand-dollar attorney, with the aid of John G. Milburn, one of the leading corporation attorneys of New York City.

The hearing, extended in various forms cover nearly two years and testimony was taken in a great number of different cities.

The government charged that the Standard Oil Company was a monopoly in restraint of trade and introduced voluminous evidence regarding the methods of the Standard in dealing with its competitors. Kellogg contended that it was shown conclusively that the Standard had used ruthless methods of "crushing" all opponents and had gained almost entire control of the oil business in this country, so that the states were parcelled out in divisions of territory for the various subsidiary concerns.

The suit was filed in the United States Circuit court for the eighth judicial circuit in St. Louis, November 15th, 1906, at the direction of the attorney-general. The action was one in equity brought under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust laws. The control through the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey of more than 100 corporations engaged in the refining and marketing of oil was characterized as a conspiracy in restraint of trade.

The government asked for a permanent injunction restraining the holding company from continuing control of its subsidiary corporations and from reorganizing in such a manner that the alleged conspiracy be perpetuated.

Considerable time was given to a discussion of unfair methods charged against the trust. Kellogg asserted that the combine had increased the cost of oil 20 per cent, although it had reduced the cost of production and the raw product.

The defence of the corporation was that the present organization of the Standard was the result of natural growth of a great industry and that no statute had been violated.

Will Appeal.

New York, Nov. 20.—It was announced at the general offices of the Standard Oil Company that the decision of the United States Circuit court at St. Louis in favor of the government in the federal suit to dissolve the parent corporation, will be appealed to the United States Supreme court. The officials refused any further discussion of the decision.

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**YOUTHS TRY TO
DOWN BRYDON**

**BUT ARE CONFRONTED
WITH EBERTS' HISTORY**

**Speaker of House Advocated
Oliver Policy in 1907
Campaign.**

There was a lively time at Boleskine road last night, when half a dozen boys, who shouted "Eberts, Eberts," tried unsuccessfully to break up Thos. A. Brydon's political meeting. The boys were between sixteen and twenty years of age, and for a time kept up a running fire of "Eberts, Eberts." They were, however, silenced emphatically when R. Drury showed up Mr. Eberts' "Yes-No" policy by drawing attention to Mr. Eberts' present attitude on railways and comparing it with his speech uttered in the same hall on January 28th, 1907, during the last provincial election campaign.

Mr. Eberts' present attitude is in favor of the McBride railway policy, and Saanich electors want him to explain how he can confirm it with the following extract of his January, 1907, speech made in the same hall.

"Now, gentlemen, let us look at it. Here is the C. P. R. coming down to the coast here. The Canadian Northern commences at Edmonton, and comes over to the coast at Bella Coola, and there is a common point there. Now it was originally intended in 1882 that the C. P. R. should have its terminus at Esquimalt. The rails were brought and the first sod was turned for the Esquimalt terminus, but politics got mixed up with the matter. They have a magnificent feasible line to come down to Bute Inlet, and to come to Frederick Arm, and from there you can cross to Vancouver Island, only thirteen miles, and this is one of the most magnificent bits of navigation in the world. No strong current, or fog, or ice, and the transportation from Frederick Arm to Vancouver Island is no more difficult than building across James Bay.

"Now, gentlemen, you all know the value of such a railway as that to Vancouver Island, and if I am elected I will do all I can in order to help the development of Vancouver Island, and particularly to get that line of railway right into your very midst." (Loud applause.)

"Mr. Eberts," continued Mr. Drury, "is therefore inconsistent, and let me tell you that the line he then proposed is exactly that which is now proposed by Mr. Oliver and which Mr. Eberts is working so hard to defeat. That railway Mr. Eberts promised to work for in February, 1907, from this very platform he is now opposing with all his strength.

"In May last the Vancouver Island Development League met at Nanaimo. It had in its ranks Liberals and Conservatives alike, and this body passed a unanimous resolution for that very railway which Mr. Eberts advocated in January 1907, and which he is now working to defeat. In 1907, when Eberts was returned, the newspapers published continually interviews with business men, all supporting the railway to Frederick Arm and across to the Island, and down its centre, making Victoria the terminus. What has Mr. Eberts done for you? and gentlemen, what is he doing now?" (A voice: Gold brick.)

In a sweeping denunciation of the government Mr. Drury then related the absence of a Normal school in Victoria and the Court of Appeal.

"That's the kind of expenditure that's being going on," said Mr. Drury, who brought his remarks to a close by saying Mr. Brydon was a worthy representative of the district, and predicted he would be returned by a large majority." (Cheers and applause.)

The Candidate.

Thomas A. Brydon, the candidate, received with loud applause, said the McBride railway policy only showed 200 miles of colonization road. What was wanted was colonization roads, but no 900 miles at a cost of \$45,000,000. If that road was built what an enormous expenditure would be required to colonize the whole mainland and the island. "It was," said Mr. Brydon, "hard to overtake British Columbia in building railways on paper. Every section paper railways have come along. The C. N. R. plan filed at Ottawa only showed the line as far as Vancouver, the island was not included, and the deal the government proposes is not a fair one." He said the actual terminus must be at Victoria, and "it appeals to me the C. N. R. will not make Victoria a terminus. We have been humbugged so many times and now this is another one."

"Although Mr. Eberts represented the district, he worked against the Cadboro Bay line. We need island development, for there are vast latent resources here which we want developed. Year after year the government has voted vast sums for mainland work, but Vancouver Island has been neglected. The province wants legislation to help the settler. The government is

disheartening the settler. The farmer is the foundation of all real wealth. \$600,000 went out of the province last year for agricultural products. If the settler was encouraged this money would be spent here.

"I am in favor of the government investing money to clear land at greatly reduced cost, and to help the settler. I have had the experience and I know. Settlement is better than the McBride railway policy. I would advocate ten-acre farms, or experimental farms, in the different localities, where a new comer can get first hand information. There should be an experimental farm in Saanich. There was \$200,000 worth of apples imported last year. These should be grown here. (Applause.)

"We also want a university and a normal school and an agricultural college, the same as the eastern states have. Look what Guelph college has done for Canada. It is time this province was equipped likewise. We should not have to import our lecturers. Our young men are handicapped through lack of facilities, due to inefficient government. If returned I will work for money aid to the farmer, experimental (Concluded on page 11.)



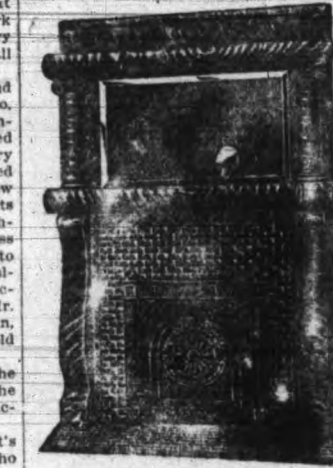
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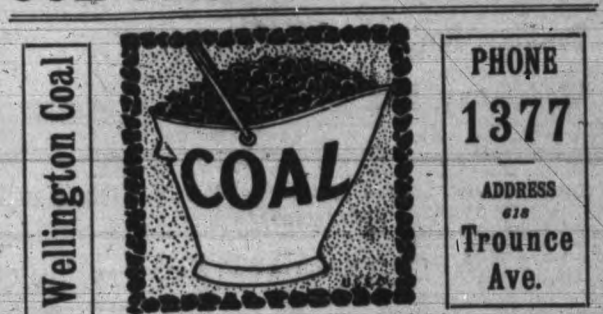
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ATTEMPTED TO MAKE BULLETS FOR McBRIDE
COUNCIL TO ASSIST LOCAL ENTERPRISE

Appointment of Judges of Appeal—Reply of Minister of Justice.

(From Our Parliamentary Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Nov. 13.—It was expected that the Opposition would lose no time in manufacturing material for the McBride campaigners in British Columbia and Mr. Borden made the attempt yesterday afternoon. It was apparent to everybody, however, to even his own followers, that the effort was a failure, simply because he had a weak case. Moreover he did not seem to be very well informed of the circumstances, and the minister of justice not only completely routed him but severely took the Provincial government to task for the manner in which it had dealt with an important matter.

Mr. Borden attacked the government for what he described as unnecessary delay in appointing the judges of the Appeal court provided for under provincial legislation passed in April, 1907. He admitted that the Dominion government had provided for the salaries of these judges more than a year ago, but failed to explain why the provincial authorities waited until last September before bringing into effect their act of 1907.

It must be remembered that the provincial legislation of 1907 was of no value until brought into force by proclamation and the Provincial government, therefore, delayed taking action for nearly two years and a half after the passage of the act and fifteen months after the Dominion had voted the salaries of the judges. And yet Mr. Borden had the hardihood to attack the Federal government for taking a few weeks to make the appointments.

Hon. Mr. Aylesworth's reply was conclusive. He said:—

Mr. Speaker, with the general observation with which the hon. gentleman opened his remarks, and as to the propriety and undesirability of making any matter as to the constitution of the courts or the appointments to judicial offices matters to be handled between one political party and another in this country, I am sure every one who listened to him will cordially agree. And, but for the observations which at a later period of his remarks fell from his lips one might have been in doubt whether the point of the statement with which he opened was directed towards this government or towards the provincial government of British Columbia. This legislation under which the court of appeal of that province was established is now some two years and six months gone; it became the law of the province of British Columbia as long ago as April, 1907. And, one who has followed the course of public affairs in the province of British Columbia might have been given to rather wonder why there was such extraordinary delay to quote the words of the hon. gentleman—in the putting into force of this statute which presumably the legislature of British Columbia when it passed it, thought provided for the wants which the province then had and of which the province itself felt the need. The provincial statute establishing the court of appeal was passed in April, 1907, and assented to on the 24th of that month. The parliament of this dominion happened to be then in session, but it prorogued two days later, on the 27th of April, 1907, and long before any official notification of the passing of this particular statute could reach us at Ottawa.

I am free to say—I wish to conceal nothing—I am free to say during the spring of 1907 I had the pleasure of a personal interview with the first minister of British Columbia, then on his road to the old country, and I was perfectly aware that some weeks before this parliament prorogued on the 27th of April, 1907, that legislation of this character was under consideration in the legislature of British Columbia, and that it all probably it would become law when the assent of the lieutenant-governor was given to the statutes of that session. But I had not seen a copy of the statute, and knew nothing of its provisions except what was conveyed to me in the personal interview to which I refer. I suppose accordingly no one would attribute any blame to the House, at any rate, or to the parliament of the dominion in the circumstances that there was no legislation by the dominion parliament during the session of 1907 to supplement that of the province of British Columbia. It was impracticable that it should be so. I do not think that any one in British Columbia expected that it would or that it could be done. If there were no other reason why this parliament could not act during the session of 1907, the circumstance that the legislature of British Columbia chose to postpone the putting into force of their legislation until a proceeding bringing it into force should be issued, was in itself a sufficient reason why this parliament could not be blamed, at any rate, if it did not pass the necessary legislation providing salaries for the judges of the new court during the session of 1907.

During the session of 1908, and notwithstanding that the act of the provincial legislature establishing the court had never yet been brought into force, this parliament passed its legislation providing for the salaries to the judges of the new court, and providing that the legislation of this parliament in turn should not become effective until a proclamation to that effect was issued by the governor-general in council; and as far as the department of which I have charge is concerned, I might, I think, offer a sufficient answer to the observations of the hon. gentleman, by stating that I am not in a position to make recommendations for the appointment of judges in British Columbia until an

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FARMERS PROSPEROUS THROUGHOUT CANADA

Merchants Expect Next Year's Business to Be Largest on Record.

New York, Nov. 20.—Bradstreet's state of trade says of trade in Canada:—

In most wholesale lines trade is good. Merchants everywhere expect next year's business to be the largest ever experienced in the history of Canada. Farmers throughout the Dominion were never so prosperous, and naturally their purchasing power has been greatly increased. Canadian business failures for the week ending with Thursday number 26, which compares with 29 last week and 33 in the corresponding week of 1908.

Bank Clearings.

	Increase	Pct.
Montreal	\$44,434,000	11.9
Toronto	34,586,000	6.7
Winnipeg	27,658,000	24.8
Vancouver	7,372,000	69.2
Ottawa	3,979,000	*1.0
Quebec	2,750,000	*25.4
Halifax	2,375,000	*3.2
Hamilton	1,952,000	15.5
St. John	1,524,000	*10.5
Calgary	2,839,000	27.3
London	1,184,000	*6.0
Victoria	1,957,000	24.9
Edmonton	1,148,000	17.8

*Decrease.

DELEGATES FIND REAL LIBERTY IN CANADA

Resolution Adopted at the Convention of Federation of Canada.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—"That the freedom of speech which we have, during the recent convention, without judicial restraint based on super-constitutional and self-arrogated authority, has been more in conformity with the fundamental principles of a free and self-governing country than is possible at present in the United States of America."

The delegates to the 29th convention of the American Federation of Labor have apparently discovered what Canadians have for a long time suspected—that there is more real liberty in Canada than in the United States of America. So impressed were they by the discovery that they embodied that fact in a resolution of which the above is a portion, and passed the resolution by a unanimous vote. For all time it will remain on record in the proceedings of the A. F. of L.

In addition, the resolution thanked the press for the fairness with which their debates had been reported, and for the space granted to the federation's proceedings.

During the discussion of the report of the committee on the president's report, it was unanimously decided that President Compton, Secretary Morrison and delegate John Mitchell should be paid the sum of \$5,000 per year during the time that they are in prison. Strenuous efforts will be made, how-

ever, to save them from that extremity, the convention deciding to raise a special fund to appeal to the Supreme court on behalf of the convention.

Vice-president O'Connell presented A. H. Gill, M. P., and J. R. Clynes, M. P., of Great Britain, and Fred Bancroft, of Toronto, three fraternal delegates, with a handsome gold watch each for themselves, and a handsome diamond pin each for their wives.

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FOR SOUTH AFRICA.
London, Nov. 20.—The Standard states that the report that Herbert Gladstone will be appointed governor-general of South Africa is confirmed by the announcement that the Liberal executive committee of Mr. Gladstone's constituency has requested T. E. Harvey to become the Liberal candidate in the approaching elections.

SHERIFF LOSES OFFICE.
Springfield, Ill., Nov. 20.—Governor Dineen yesterday declared the office of sheriff of Alexander county vacant, because Sheriff Davis allowed a negro murderer and a white man to be taken from his care and lynched at Cairo, Ill., on November 11th. The governor's action was in observance of a law providing that whenever a sheriff surrenders a prisoner to a mob, his office immediately becomes vacant.

SEEKING SUFFRAGE.
Regina, Sask., Nov. 20.—"Votes for women" will be heard in Saskatchewan legislative halls this session. The women of Regina have organized to canvass the city with a petition asking for the municipal franchise for married women in the towns, cities and villages of the province. These petitions will be presented to the legislature in due course.

BOUNDARY DISPUTE SETTLED.
Lima, Peru, Nov. 20.—The award of King Alfonso of Spain, who was made the arbitrator of the boundary dispute of Peru and Ecuador, has been announced and accepted by both nations.

SNOW THREE FEET DEEP.
Toronto, Nov. 20.—The Canadian Northern train from the north arrived yesterday morning covered with snow. The crew report that the snow in Parry Sound is over three feet deep, and in several places there are drifts six and seven feet deep. The snow plough was used for part of the journey.

NEW PRESIDENT.
Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—Provost C. C. Harrison, of the University of Pennsylvania, yesterday accepted the chairmanship of the board of trustees of the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching. He succeeds Dr. C. W. Elliot, former president of Harvard.

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We do not ask any elector of the city of Victoria or of any constituency in the province of British Columbia to accept our views on the political situation as it exists to-day with the culminating point, polling day, but a few days in the future. Our view-point might with reason be considered biased. But we do ask the electors to consider the situation for themselves; to put away their party prejudices, examine the circumstances as they actually exist, and say whether the prospects are not bright for the decisive defeat of the government on the 25th of November.

No one hears any predictions from the government ranks now that Premier McBride will "sweep the country"; that the Liberals will be completely annihilated on Thursday next. The transparent fact is that the government forces are in a state of panic in almost every constituency. Chaos is bound to come sooner or later to any party held together by such sordid considerations as have dominated the forces of the McBride party. It was never in the real sense of the word a Conservative party. The better elements of Conservatism were fooled for a time in accepting Premier McBride as their leader and Attorney-General Bowser as his second in command. The disintegrating forces inherent in the combination, however, have begun to operate much sooner than we expected. The spoilers are already quarrelling over their share of the spoils. There is disunion in many of the constituencies; dissatisfaction and distrust in them all.

The withdrawal of Captain Tatlow and Mr. Fulton was a body blow for the government. The hostility of Sir Hibbert Tupper, carrying with it the disaffection of thousands of honest Conservatives, has proved demoralising. To put the result beyond doubt and turn the prospective defeat into a complete rout, the Liberals have but to work by every legitimate means and with the enthusiasm born of conviction that success is assured to win a signal victory and smash the combination which only a few weeks ago felt so confident that the province and all its magnificent resources had been delivered into its hands.

The Nanaimo Herald outlines the situation with perfect accuracy and clearness in the following convincing article:

"Our friends the Tories who follow McBride in the enunciation of a railway policy that is to saddle the province with an enormous debt for years to come, are making all sorts of claims as to the easy time the Conservatives will have in carrying the province at the polls on Thursday, November 25th. There is nothing to it but the size of the majority, and if one were to believe their boasts we cannot understand why the Tory candidates, Premier McBride included, are stumping the country day and night rustling votes, everyone of which in our opinion will be needed on Thursday next. Let us size up the returns of the last election and see just how much our friends have

to lose before they are down and out. In the last House McBride's followers numbered 26 in a total House of 42. The next House will also number 42, so that the Conservatives will have to elect at least 22 candidates in order to hold control of the reins of government. A loss of five seats, then, is all that is necessary and Premier McBride will no longer be Premier. To gain these five seats there has only to be a change of 54 votes, as five government candidates were elected on the last appeal to the country by majorities totalling 167. Of these Dr. Young in Atlin had 23, W. H. Hayward in Cowichan had 19, N. P. Mackay had 14, Richmond and A. E. McPhillips 3 in the Islands.

"In the above, then, there is much food for thought, and when it is considered that a turnover of 54 votes rightly located will defeat the McBride government, there is no wonder John Oliver and his stalwarts are looking forward to a Liberal victory."

MORE TELEGRAMS.

As the election approaches the temptation of the government organ to resort to telegrams proves too strong to be resisted. There would, of course, be no objection to this, if it could only get over its fatal weakness of only reproducing the replies, and failing to produce the originals.

Its latest venture is a dispatch from Sir Thomas Shaughnessy. This is the dispatch: "See no reason why I should spend my time denying such silly rumors." Now what silly rumors? The Colonist tries to apply it by a parenthesis (that the Canadian Northern is secretly identified with the C. P. R.). But why not publish the interrogatory dispatch? It will be recalled that it has never yet published the dispatch which it sent to Mr. Borden last year asking for a statement on the Oriental question. It published a forged reply from Mr. Borden, but not the original dispatch which it sent to its leader.

But to come back to the message of Sir Thomas. If the head of the C. P. R. really says there is no understanding with Mackenzie and Mann that ought to lay the question forever. If the Colonist would only publish another telegram from Mr. Mann to the same effect the proof would be so crushing that Mr. Paterson would never dare again to show his face in public life. The defendant has pleaded not guilty. Liberate him at once and pay damages for summoning him. Everyone knows that if the charge were true both Sir Thomas and Mr. Mann would be the first to admit it, especially when such an admission would defeat their plans and their policy.

Just one question. Is the Colonist quite sure that Sir Thomas didn't say that he "saw no reason why he should spend any time answering such silly telegrams?"

ESQUIMALT REDIVIVUS.

Quaint little Esquimalt is coming to her own again. A million and a half dollars has been set aside by the Dominion government as the first steps towards the creation of a division of the new Canadian navy on the Pacific Coast. This may be accepted as finally disposing of the rumors that the headquarters of the fleet would be removed from the old naval station to some other point on the British Columbia coast. Various other ports, it is well known, had pressed their claims for consideration, the idea being, of course, that there was a chance of the decision of the experts of the Admiralty being in their favor. It is apparent however, that if Esquimalt had serious rivals, she has won the prize. We congratulate the people of the placid little borough on the improvement which has occurred in their prospects, and they are all the more to be congratulated because it is very probable that never again in their history will there arise such a crisis as was precipitated by the announcement of the intention of the Admiralty authorities to dismantle the navy yard and reduce the station. In the course of a very few years the ancient and picturesque village will present an appearance of greater activity than it ever did in its history, and that activity will not be spasmodic, but continuous.

Some critics maintain there is no necessity for Canada having any navy at all, others that she should make a direct contribution to the British navy, and others that an appropriation of three million dollars will not go far towards the creation of a new navy. All these critics except the last have already been answered, and by the most competent authorities in the Empire. The reply to the last is that three million dollars will probably be

sufficient for the preliminary work of the first year. That was probably the sum asked for by the experts engaged by the government.

Esquimalt and Victoria should shake hands with vigor over the decision of the Dominion naval authorities.

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KOW-TOWING TO THE UNITED STATES.

The opposition at Ottawa protests against the ratification of the Canadian treaty of trade and commerce with France until the government of the United States has been consulted in the matter. That is to say, the Conservative party of Canada is willing to concede that the United States shall have the privilege of dictating the trade policy Canada shall pursue in her relations with foreign countries, and, presumably, with the Mother Country also. That was the very object sought to be obtained by the adoption of the Payne and Aldrich tariff bill. The measure was designed to give the United States dictatorial powers over all nations not only in their trade relations with the United States, but in their relations with each other. The Times pointed this out at the time the Payne-Aldrich Bill was under discussion at Washington. But we never thought for a moment that the ultra-royal Conservative party at Ottawa would be the first to suggest the propriety of surrendering our independence and bowing the knee to Washington. It was Sir John Macdonald who first declared for the fiscal independence of Canada, even independence at the risk of incurring the imputation of disloyalty to Great Britain, when he inaugurated the National Policy. Yet here are the leaders of the party brought into being by Sir John declaring that before entering into a treaty with France that treaty must first receive the imprimatur of the ruling powers at Washington. The position would be extraordinary under any circumstances, but it is all the more startling in the light shed by the records of the Conservative party. These records show that not only has the party stood for maintaining a solid front against the fiscal hostility of Washington, but that it has almost continuously advocated retaliation against aggression. Yet the Conservative party of to-day places itself on record as in favor of surrendering the independence of Canada by going to Washington and asking the government of the United States whether it approves of the trade treaty with France. The opposition is sadly in need not only of a sagacious leader, but of a leader strong enough to maintain discipline within its ranks. It has made an exhibition of itself by its attitude, or many attitudes, on the naval defence question. And now its position on the French treaty will have the effect of making it a laughing stock throughout the country. Who would have thought that the once great Conservative party of Canada would have been the first to practically take the position that Canada is virtually a dependency of the United States—like Cuba, or Hawaii, or the Philippines? We shall probably read next that the leaders of the Conservative party endorse the statements of many American newspapers that Canada is in no need of any navy, can never require a navy for any purpose, because her autonomous position on the "continent to which we belong" is guaranteed by the United States, the unassailable.

Ralph Connor, Canada's strongest and most popular, if not most polished, novelist has written another book. It is a story of the West of course. Dr. Gordon, while gifted with great powers of imagination, writes only of the things he knows—with an artist's privilege of embellishment. "The Foreigner," while a romance, deals practically with the making of the West, with the most interesting of all problems, the processes governing a nation in the making. The Westminster Company, Toronto, are the publishers.

MORE WORKS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT

Residents along Linden avenue will rejoice to learn that at last the long-promised civic improvements for which they have been desirous are to be given. At Monday evening's meeting of the city council Aid-Turner, chairman of the streets committee, will move that an appropriation be made to cover the cost of the city's share of the work.

The improvement will consist of putting down cement sidewalks on both sides from Fairfield road to Dallas road; grading, making sewer and water connections and surface drains and connections. The estimated cost is \$22,086. There is nothing to prevent an immediate commencement being made on the work, as all the property owners on the thoroughfare are agreeable to the improvement being made, and therefore no by-law will be necessary.

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... sidering the blundering attempts of the organs to delude, that the ferry scheme is nothing more than the old election fake?

Hon. W. J. Bowser, ex-M.P.P., K.C., etc., has begun to well, to exercise his imagination—too soon in this campaign. It has been usual to nail the Attorney-General's atrocities after elections—when they have accomplished their purpose. Thus far two have been exposed. Nobody will believe anything the hon. gentleman says, on the eve of polling day or any other day, if he does not occasionally bridle his unruly member.

Premier McBride told a Vancouver audience that the Canadian Northern

would spend five million dollars on terminals in their city. This is not only a coarse bribe dangled by a coarse hand; it dispates that vision the Colonist had of stations, round houses, elevators, mills and many other things arising in Victoria as the actual terminus of the Canadian Northern Railway.

A snub from a great man is as sweet to the palate of the snobbish Matson Junior organ as flattery is delightful to the ears of a vain woman. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy administered a kick to the proper part of the person of the Colonist offshoot yesterday, and the delighted editor published the fact of his proper chastisement to the public.

MINERS ARE RESCUED FROM LIVING TOMB

Over One Hundred Men Found Alive in Illinois Mine After Being Imprisoned For More Than a Week

(Times Leased Wire.) Cherry, Ill., Nov. 20.—One hundred men were found alive this afternoon when the inspectors made a second trip into the mine, making a total of 142 survivors of the great accident of a week ago.

Work of Rescue. Cherry, Ill., Nov. 20.—Like the dead rising from the tomb, forty-two living men were raised from the St. Paul mine here this afternoon. The wildest scenes of joy followed.

The wives, dressed as widows and the children who have mourned the apparent death of their fathers, are beside themselves with happiness. It seems almost inconceivable, too good to be true, for all hope had fled. The families of these men, had not the slightest ray of hope that they would ever be seen alive again. Only the blackened, charred bodies, burned probably beyond identification, were hoped for at the most. Then after they had been mourned as dead for seven days and nights, and half of the eighth day, for them to arise from a sealed tomb alive and actually able to speak to their loved ones has sent the torn and stricken community from paroxysms of grief to the wild hysteria of joy.

The weakened, pale, starving men thought they had been in their black prison for only one day.

Time had passed unrecorded. There was nothing by which it could be measured.

"We were only waiting to die," said one man. "No one cared to try to tell how long it was, but none of us thought it was more than a day."

They had some food with them, which sustained their lives. But the very fact that they were unable to note the passage of time was probably the explanation of its lasting long enough to save them.

Instead of eating meals for seven days, they had in this living tomb been satisfied with the food that they thought would last them one day. They were nearly starved without knowing it.

After the first forty-two men had been brought to the surface, the mine inspectors hastened to return into the shaft.

One Hundred More Rescued. It was not long before the news was flashed that one hundred more living men had been found in another chamber, having passed through much the same experience as the first forty-two.

When this news was spread the town, already wild with joy, went into even wilder expressions of exultation.

Some of those rescued may die from weakness, but it is hoped that almost all of them can be saved.

George Eddy, one of the first men brought out, is in a critical condition, and there is little hope for him.

While the joy and celebrating is great, there is no disrespect for the sorrow that has sunken down irremovably on the homes of twenty-three men whose dead bodies have been identified.

Fifty dead bodies have been taken out of the mine, and of these there is not much hope of identifying more than twenty-three, who already have been recognized.

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—The Victoria Cymrodorion Society have arranged for a lantern lecture on Wales by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone for the next meeting, the second Wednesday in December, a number of attractive musical selections and other items will also be given followed by refreshments. All members and Welsh residents and those interested are asked to remember the date and be present. The society also proposes holding an Elsteddod about the New Year, but further information will be given next week.

—One of the most successful socials given under the auspices of the Young People's Bible class of the Metropolitan Methodist church, was held last evening in the schoolroom. The entertainment took the form of a box social and was a pronounced success. An auction sale took place of the boxes, all of which looked very beautiful. The young men bid briskly for the boxes and on receiving them looked for their partners. Quite a sum was realized, and this will be donated towards the subscription promised by the class towards the Y. M. C. A. new building fund. At the close all gathered together and sang "For We Are Jolly Good Fellows," and an enjoyable evening came to an end.

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Orders Issued by Commanding Officer of Fifth Regiment.

The latest orders issued by Major Currie, commanding the Fifth Regiment, are as follows:

Capt. J. C. Harris will assume command of No. 3 Company in place of Major S. Booth, relieved from duty pending granting of leave.

Lieut. H. R. Selfe, having returned from leave, resumes duty with No. 3 Company.

The following man, having been granted his discharge, is struck off the strength of the regiment: Gnr. A. Harris.

The following men, having been duly attested, are taken on the strength, and will assume the regimental number opposite their names, and are posted to No. 2 Company: Gnr. J. B. White, No. 149; Gnr. M. W. Mann, No. 151.

O. C. companies will obtain tax certificates on Wednesday next, and will fill in and initial same for those N. C. O.'s and men who earned efficiency pay last drill season. These certificates are to be handed in on December 15th next.

The following specialists having passed the last tri-annual test will parade at the Drill hall on Wednesday next, 24th inst., at 8:30 p.m. The paymaster-sergeant will also attend: Sgt. G. Swarbrick, Cpl. S. Wilson, Gnr. A. C. Boyce, Gnr. C. Birch, Cpl. W. H. Spofford, Cpl. H. Mathews, Gnr. G. Featherbridge, Cpl. A. Richardson, Bom. W. G. Eden, Gnr. A. Penketh, Cpl. W. E. Gordon, Sgt. W. J. Wilby, Gnr. H. Price, Gnr. E. Logan.

The undermentioned men have qualified for certificates: For sergeant—Cpl. W. B. Gordon, Gnr. A. C. Boyce, Cpl. A. G. Morry.

For corporal—Gnr. E. D. Carter, Gnr. C. W. Birch, Gnr. H. W. Ellis, Gnr. F. Dutoit, Gnr. A. W. Milligan, Cpl. W. H. Spofford, Gnr. E. G. Ray, Gnr. J. R. Connorton.

For bombardier—Gnr. A. E. John, Gnr. W. Kroeger, Gnr. J. Casanave, Gnr. L. S. Davies, Gnr. H. F. Beck, Bom. W. S. Duncan.

All buglers in the regiment will parade on Wednesday next, 24th inst., for instruction under Bandmaster S. Rogers.

THE COMPANION FOR CANADIANS

The Youth's Companion has long been distinguished for its famous British contributors. Tennyson and Gladstone are noteworthy among those of former years, and the roll includes such names as Rudyard Kipling, Sir Edwin Arnold, Sir Reginald Palgrave and the Duchess of Sutherland. During 1910 the Companion will be enriched by the contributions of many British writers. Among these are the Duke of Argyll (who will write on the Scottish and Irish clans), Lady Henry Somerset, Rt. Hon. James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States; Jane Barlow, F. T. Bullen, Sir H. H. Johnston, Sir James Crichton-Browne, E. W. Thomson and Rev. W. J. Dawson (who will write on fruit-growing in Kootenay).

Every new Canadian subscriber will find it of special advantage to send at once the \$2 for the new 1910 volume. Not only does he get the beautiful "Venetian" calendar for 1910, lithographed in thirteen colors and gold, but all the issues of the Companion for the remaining weeks of 1909 from the time the subscription is received.

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BOY SCOUTS BRIGADE FORMED IN THIS CITY

Meeting Held Thursday Evening Last for Purpose of Organizing the Brigade.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing the Victoria Brigade of Boy Scouts was held on Thursday evening last in the schoolroom of Christ Church Cathedral. Rev. Wm. Barton, organizer of the movement here, presided at the meeting. The brigade was successfully launched with a membership of sixty-five. It is the intention of the general committee to affiliate with the brigade in Victoria West, Spring Ridge and the other wards in this city.

During the evening Mr. Barton spoke on the movement, stating that the first use of boy scouts was made at Mafeking, when General Sir Robert Baden-Powell made wonderful use of them, such as carrying dispatches and discharging light duties. As soon as the general got time on his arrival back to England he set to work to organize the Baden-Powell Boy Scouts. The aims of the brigade are to develop the boys' sense of honor and loyalty to God and the King, and also to educate both the mental and physical abilities in them. The only requirements for boys to join are that they must be members of some Sunday school or Bible class. Meetings of this organization will be held shortly, and before long the members of the brigade will be seen in uniforms at their work in and about Victoria.

H. Dallas Helmcken held a meeting at Metehostin last evening, where he was assisted by William Buckmore, William Alden and Mr. Inverarity. Daniel Henry presided. The speeches were of the stereotyped style.

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QUESTION DISCUSSED AT FOOTBALL MEETING

Cecil Hall Will Have to Remain in Senior Rank.

The question of regrading a player from senior ranks to the second division was very fully discussed last evening at a meeting of the Vancouver Island Football Association.

After the grading of three players from the first division to the second, in which Cecil Hall was the mover in each case, the question of the regrading of Cecil Hall, came up.

Mr. Okell did not like this move, and pointed out that he had moved that the other three players be passed up, and now when he asked for this grading of one of the Victoria-West men it was immediately turned down.

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STANLEY AND JOHN D. MARSH ARE MATCHED

Will Race Here Friday—Marsh Beat St. Yves Last Night.

John D. Marsh, the famous Winnipeg runner, will, according to a telegram received from William Stanley from Vancouver this morning, be seen in action here next Friday night.

Marsh will race against William Stanley and the two will run for fifteen miles. The race will take place at the horse show building.

RACING OPENS AT EMERYVILLE

Oral System of Betting to Be Introduced in California.

(Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 20.—Racing opened at Emeryville to-day under the auspices of the new California Jockey Club under disagreeable weather conditions.

BOXING AND WRESTLING BOUTS AT PORTLAND

Vancouver Men Meet Members of the Multnomah Athletic Club.

(Times Leased Wire.) Portland, Ore., Nov. 20.—The best bout held at the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club in the inter-club meet last night was that between C. C. Ralphs, of Multnomah, and A. E. McGraw, of Vancouver.

BASKETBALL MATCH AT RINK TO-NIGHT

High School and Y. M. C. A. Teams to Open the Season.

The first basketball match of the season will be played to-night at the Port street rink when the Y. M. C. A. intermediate team meets the team from the High School.

Both teams have been training for this game and expect to give each other a hard fight, and put up a good exhibition.

The teams that will play to-night are as follows: Y. M. C. A.—Baker, right forward; Campbell, left forward; Sproule, center; Fairful, right guard; McKeown, left guard.

High school—Willacraft, right forward; E. Steele, left forward; Johnson, center; S. Spencer, right guard; Pike, left guard.

Bank Teams. The Royal Bank last night beat the Bank of Commerce team by 21 to 16. The score at half time was 10 to 9.

Royal—F. Archibald, C. Holden, A. Futeher, H. Hoppood, R. McKeon. Bank of Commerce—A. Harris, E. Todd, C. Newmarch, F. Claxton, R. Ford.

HUDSON CAR MADE FAST TIME IN RACE

Splendid Record at Seattle Test Under Severe Handicaps.

With a score of 706 miles for the interrupted "twice-around-the-clock" race, the Hudson entry finished 41 miles in advance of its nearest competitor in the Meadows sweepstakes recently, and incidentally surprised the motor enthusiasts of Seattle, as many had looked upon the Hudson car as a long shot in the big grind.

At the beginning of the race the little Hudson "20" which was equipped for the race on the night of September 9th, and which had not been tried out prior to the race, developed slight troubles with the carburetor, which was finally remedied.

After surmounting all the troubles the Hudson car began to reel off miles hour after hour, between 1.15 and 1.20, and was driven as fast as 1.10 for a stretch of one hour.

The steady running of the Hudson finally landed it in first place, and ran continuously for 15 hours with only good stops for fuel and one or two minor adjustments.

The drivers, Messrs. Wallace, Blakeley, Short and Staley alternated at the wheel.

CAUSE AND CURE OF NEURALGIA

Modern Methods Dispose of the Cause Instead of Treating the Symptoms.

Neuralgia means simply "nerve pain," so there may be a great variation in the character and intensity of the pain and any nerve in the body may be affected.

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CANADIAN COMPANY IS BUSY IN MEXICO

Local Organization is Laying Out Plans for Model Settlement.

With the view of colonizing and developing a rich, fertile and comparatively little known section of the Pacific littoral and devoting its energies to the cultivation of tropical fruits for export, the Pacific Government and Colonization Corporation, Ltd., a Canadian company, with headquarters at Victoria, British Columbia, acquired during the early months of the present year several large tracts of almost virgin land in the state of Guerrero, not far from the port of Zihuatanejo, and far from the port of Zihuatanejo, and far from the port of Zihuatanejo.

The lands in question are actually located about and surrounding the town of Petatlan, Guerrero, in the district of the same name, and lie but a short distance from the coast. They are traversed by two rivers, the Petatlan and the San Gerónimo, which rise in the Sierra Madre and empty into the Pacific. The waters of these rivers as well as that of other streams of lesser importance, will be utilized for irrigation purposes on the lands of the colony.

The plan of the company is to clear the lands in question, which are in part covered by tropical jungles, subdivide it into convenient units of area and install an intricate system of irrigating canals, which will derive their waters from three large storage dams conveniently erected to receive and store the flood waters of the Rio Gerónimo and the Arroyo Arenoso, which are considerable during the rainy season but insufficient during the dry portion of the year.

The unit of subdivision of the lands as adopted by the company is into tracts of approximately sixty-two acres each, which will be cleared, supplied with water and improved and then sold to colonists, who will be given substantial inducements to locate in the colony.

A model town, which will include all the conveniences and arrangements appropriate to a tropical climate, will be constructed by the company, water works, electric light and power plants, a sewage system and model dwellings installed and erected.

Particular attention will be given to the question of domestic water supply and a modern filtration and purification system, which will thoroughly purify the water and render it safe and germ free, will be among the first of the permanent improvements to be put under way.

At the port Zihuatanejo, harbor works of importance will be executed and either an automobile road or a railway to connect the colony with the port will be constructed later, the company having not yet decided just which of the two plans it will adopt.

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The company has already received substantial applications, mostly by Canadians, for allotments of the colony lands.

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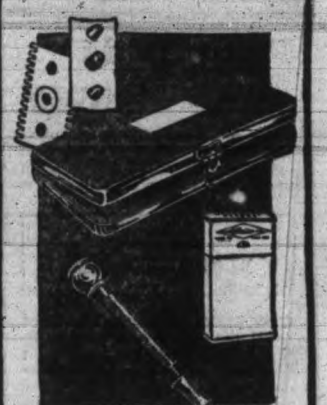
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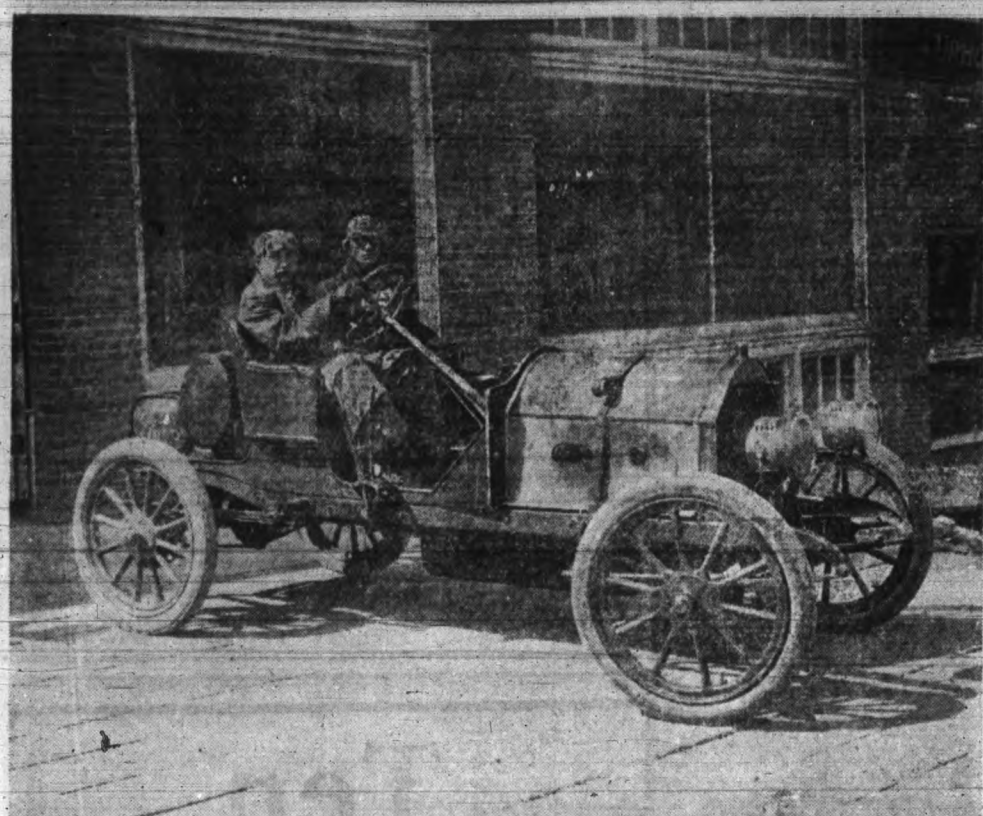
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on their records, but they had done nothing for Victoria. On a former occasion he had offered a prize for any sentence uttered by any of the four favoring any of Victoria's claims in regard to having the Normal school, the University or the Appellate court in Victoria.

Mr. Houston said he was much interested in Mr. Morley's speech, and he was in full sympathy with him. He was willing to work with Mr. Morley and John Oliver for the improvement of the province and the uplifting of the people.

Mr. Houston said the men who had been the representatives of the city stood for getting in and then seeing that they stayed in. This position was a great contrast to the position of the Liberals under John Oliver. He was prepared to work for the true interests of the province, and he asked those present to support the four Liberals. He asked that they be given an opportunity, and if they were recreant to turn them out. Their ideals were to form a plain straight-forward business government.

Contrasted Stands.

Continuing, Mr. Houston said he was of the opinion that this railway policy was something more than the drawing of a herring across the trail. He quoted from the resolution moved by Mr. Luginin at a meeting of the Development Association, showing the position of that gentleman at that time. The same gentleman had now faced about and was trying to open the country by a railway down the Fraser river. That gentleman affected not to understand him. He said he did not see how the claim could be made that only 200 miles of useful railway was to be built. He stated now again that only 200 miles of new territory would be opened up. So far as he was concerned he would not consent to saddling the province with a debt of \$15,000,000. If they did this they could not again go to the money markets of the world for money for the new territory which needed opening up. Mackenzie & Mann were good road builders. They had made good roads and had immense tracts of land. If they wanted this road they should build it themselves.

He was of opinion with Mr. Paterson that the C.P.R. were in league with the Canadian Northern. Mackenzie & Mann, once they had constructed the line, did not care what became of it, but would then be ready to hand it over to the highest bidder.

Mr. Luginin asked if a railway from Victoria to Barkley Sound would not be a good thing? He answered that it would. He was one of the men who obtained a charter from the government, and the line was now being surveyed. Now the government wanted Mackenzie & Mann to handle it because they found there was money in it. Some of the charter was sold to McBride and some to the C.P.R. The government guaranteed the bonds for them, as they already had the charter.

The Liberal party is in favor of railway construction, continued Mr. Houston. They believe in opening up entirely new territory. It had made a road built to cross the Gulf and it connects with the Barkley Sound railway the terminus will be on Barkley Sound and will do Victoria but little good.

Mackenzie & Mann want to build where they can get the easiest grade; there is to be no control of freight rates, nothing to safeguard the people. The government has done nothing in the interests of the people, but they are exploiting the country in the interests of their friends. He gave several concrete examples of where this had been done. He thought it was time the electors said this must stop and this could be done on the 25th day of this month.

R. L. Drury.

R. L. Drury spoke briefly. He first dealt with the railway question, reviewing the railway development on Vancouver Island and Victoria.

Mr. Barnard wrote a letter to the press just after the last election in which it was suggested that as Mr. McBride had a good majority the Canadian Northern should be encouraged to run through the centre of the province, crossing to Vancouver Island and coming down to Victoria. The Colonist followed this up with articles advocating the same policy. Even the four members from the city and the defeated Liberal candidates were asked to endorse the same policy, which was done. The Island Development League had also advocated the same. Now for Mr. McBride to come before them and try to palm off a proposal such as the one now before them was simply monstrous. Warn it not for the principles of etiquette he could give the names of man after man of the Conservative party who had spoken with candor of the position McBride has placed them in. There were no evidences that the C.P.R. were opposed to this proposal. Officials of the company signed the nomination papers of Conservatives. The Province's newspaper of Vancouver was advocating this policy day after day.

Mr. Tatlow had won the respect and esteem of members of both sides of the House. He was not pulled out by the C.P.R. for he was a man of too high a character to yield to such influences.

Speaking of the extravagance of the government, he told of a wagon road being built in Alberni over which not two wagons a year would be driven. He also told of a bridge in which \$27 of lumber had been used, which cost \$25 to haul. Each of two men were paid \$22.50 and a foreman over them was paid \$68. There was also a superintendent, who received \$124.50. This was just a glimpse of volumes which could be published of similar conditions. If the whole truth were made known an appalling condition of affairs would be revealed. There was a state of affairs to-day which was disgraceful. Sir Hibbert Tupper was justified in speaking of the way the unconsidered proposition had been rushed upon them. He showed what a foul condition the voters' list was in. Bonus names were registered as residing at saloon or vacant lots. There would be 6,000 people vote at the one set of booths. He asked that all get out and vote and bring in all he possibly could on voting day.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

JOHN HAGGERTY GIVES TROUBLE

BOARD OF ALDERMEN ANGRY AT ACTION

Amusing Incident Growing Out of City's Attempt to Purchase Property.

John Haggerty is causing the members of the city council a great deal of worry these days, and all on account of some lots which he formerly owned at the site of the Spring Ridge gravel pits and which the city has purchased or proposes to purchase. Some weeks ago Mayor Hall announced that in view of the necessity for the city to secure at once a site for a corporation yard he had taken the liberty to take an option on five lots owned by Mr. Haggerty at Spring Ridge for the sum of \$10,000. The council approved of this and gave the mayor authority to complete the deal. That was the last heard of the matter until the meeting of the streets committee on Friday of last week. At that meeting Ald. Stewart caused consternation by announcing that while he understood that the city had purchased the lots in question he learned that ever since the date of the decision of the council to buy, Mr. Haggerty had had teams busily engaged in carting sand and gravel from those particular lots over to another lot in the vicinity. He thought this a most astounding situation, and the other members of the council agreed with him. Somebody suggested that perhaps Mr. Haggerty did not know that the lots had been purchased by the city, and on equities being made it was found that while the city solicitor was busy drawing up the papers for the deal the owner had not been formally notified of the intention of the council in the matter. This was a week ago.

Last evening Ald. Stewart again brought the matter up. He asked if the city had acquired the property in question, and on being answered in the affirmative astonished those present by declaring that Mr. Haggerty was still hauling sand and gravel away from the property. He wanted to know if Mr. Haggerty had ever received any notification that the city had bought the lots.

Mr. Bryson, the assistant city en-

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LIBERALS SHOW UP GOVERNMENT

ROUSING MEETING IN NORTH WARD

Local Candidates Attack Conditions Instituted by McBride Government.

The weakness of the McBride administration and the need of a total change of front on the essential matters of government in this province were emphasized last night at the meeting which assembled at North Ward school to hear the Liberal candidates speak on matters of public policy. Mr. Morley showed how the railway talk of Mr. Paterson had put the Colonist editor to confusion and that the arguments therein had never been answered.

Another point made by the first speaker for the evening was that Tammany methods of conducting elections were rife in this city. The Conservatives were conducting a campaign of whiskey and cigars and other Tammany methods. The beautiful city of Victoria was being disgraced by these tactics and none but the electors were in a position to remedy the condition.

Messrs. Morley, Houston and Drury made excellent speeches and Robert Dinsdale occupied the chair. The attendance was large and intense interest was taken in the proceedings.

A. J. Morley.

A. J. Morley told of having put in two strenuous years in civic work and had tried to introduce certain reforms. He had been hampered by political interference and the unworkable Municipal Act. He felt that until someone interested took up the matter there would be no improvement. His primary reason then in entering the fight was to carry it into the legislature. Further he had become indignant at the way the natural resources of the province had been dissipated. If these had been conserved they would have provided for education, public improvements and all other expenses. Many people had become millionaires through having obtained too big a share of the natural resources of the province.

When we look at the struggle taking place in the Old Land it is easy to see that we also will soon be placed in a similar position," said the speaker. "The country is filling up and if you want the downhill conditions to continue vote for McBride and his ministry. There have been more natural resources alienated during the past ten years than in all the previous history of the province. Twelve million acres of timber lands have been alienated or about 50 per cent of the whole. Seventy-five per cent. has been given into the hands of aliens, who are not interested in the country. Two things make for the permanent prosperity of the country. The farmers are the backbone of the country. In Great Britain the coal and iron were the staples. British Columbia was equally wealthy in coal and iron and had also illimitable lands, forest areas and water powers which England never had. If the resources had been handed for the people, the province would have had increasing revenue and industries more than keeping pace with the growth of population and the most prosperous condition the world had ever seen.

The reason for the present condition lay in the fact that the people had placed their faith in the hands of politicians. There had been tricky exploitations for personal ends.

Some might say that if another party were elected there would be no change in methods. He could say, however, that things could not be worse. Honorable men had had to leave the cabinet because they said they could not swallow the policy of the premier.

Referring to the railway policy Mr. Morley said it was his opinion that it was simply a scheme gotten up for the purpose of distracting attention from the condition of affairs.

The Colonist editor was up against it yesterday after reading Mr. Paterson's exposure so that it took him yesterday and all night to find out where he was at. He came out with a great hash in the morning which did not answer the arguments.

Tammany Methods.

The speaker then drew attention to the methods which were being employed for the purpose of winning the election. The conditions here were becoming very similar to the Tammany conditions in New York and were depending for election on organized whiskey, free cigars, and general Tammany methods. Did it speak well for the city that in these modern times in a beautiful city like Victoria this condition of affairs should exist. What effect would it have on humanity? Would it improve the city? Would it attract people to make their homes here? They were looking for clean government by the people but they could not get it under such conditions.

The candidate spoke of one man in this city who had purchased ten square miles of the best farming lands of the province. It was necessary if they would stop this sort of thing to have a change of government.

"Personally," said Mr. Morley, "I am of the opinion that the time is past when subsidies should be given for railways. Here we have thrust in our faces, however, a monstrous proposition.

If railways must be assisted let the people be given a joint interest in the road. In Winnipeg a franchise granted to the street cars insured the people getting a share of the profits, and in almost every city on the continent the system obtained, except in Victoria. This system should be broadened out until it embraced all private monopolies. There could not be a number of street car systems in a city, therefore there was no open competition.

For this reason the people should have a share in the profits.

"I am in this fight because it was absolutely impossible to get any aid for the city from the government," said Mr. Morley.

"This city contains one-tenth of the population of the province, but it does not get anything like one-tenth of the share of the interest of the legislature. The things which interest the city are put off from time to time. Mr. Oliver has already considered these civic subjects. When approached he said he knew all about them without explaining. Mr. Oliver is a Liberal, but I am an independent Liberal, and I am going to try to stir up the Liberals. The people have not in the past taken things seriously. With a continuation of the McBride condition of spoliation, affairs will drift back into a condition similar to those in the Old Land.

"Do you wish to pay by direct taxation," he asked, "by poll tax, income tax and tax on goods in the stores for all the improvements in the province, or shall the timber and other resources pay these? John Oliver stands for the latter. He is in every sense a man. He is fitted to fight for these things, and I hope the electors will not let any little catchpot proposition influence you to vote for McBride at the coming election."

Mr. Morley said he had another phase of the question he wanted to discuss, but he could not do so until Mr. Oliver returned. It was his duty to discuss it with him first. He was not willing that affairs should drift along as at present, and he felt sure a change would be made.

W. K. Houston.

W. K. Houston said that he would not have come forward on this occasion had it not been that his sympathies were entirely with the leader, John Oliver. John Oliver had on one occasion, when travelling on a steamer with him, said he was not in politics for the money there was in it, but that he might place the province in a better position. He had then said to himself that this was the man he would like to follow. Now that he was in the fight he was in to win. The late members said they came before the electors

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NAYS

It will be observed that Messrs. John Oliver and Drury voted for Local Option and Premier McBride and his party DEFEATED Local Option.

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In the first half each team scored one goal, and their only goal, V. Westcott shooting for High school and S. Sherritt for North Ward. During the second half play was from one end of the field to the other without any damage being done.

The teams lined up as follows: High school—Goal, Johnson; full backs, Sadger and Stewart; half backs, Woods, Westcott and Davis; forwards, Ledingham, Mulcahy, Miller, Wolsley and Cummings. North Ward—Goal, Duncan; full backs, Taylor and McKenna; half backs, Campbell, Cummings and Ward; forwards, McLeod, F. Sherritt, S. Sherritt, Newbligh and Palmer. Referee, J. Campbell.

GIRLS' HOCKEY.

South Park Players Defeated This Morning by High School.

The girls' hockey team of the South Park school suffered a bid defeat at the hands of the High school team this morning. The college girls piled up a score of six goals to their opponents' none. From the start of the game it was evident that the South Park girls were outclassed. The girls that scored for High school were Miss A. Fullerton, Miss C. Burrage, Miss E. Wylie (2), and Miss M. Davis (2). The teams lined up as follows:

High school—Goal, Miss M. Ledingham; full backs, Misses E. Taylor and J. John; half backs, Misses V. Harmon, H. Jackson and E. Conford; forwards, Misses A. Fullerton, E. Wylie, M. Davis, C. Burrage and G. Cameron. South Park—Goal, Miss S. King; full backs, Misses F. Watt and C. Greenhaw; half backs, A. McGilbran, C. Vincent, M. Pottinger; forwards, V. Watson, E. Young, P. Hodge, M. Harmon and F. West. Referee, H. Winsby.

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IF YOU WANT to exchange your acreage for city property you will do well to consult us; we have both city property and acreage to exchange. Ryan & Lang, 1507 Government street. n29

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WANTED—200 men and women to hear C. Lester, of Manchester, Eng., speak on Socialism at the Grand Theatre, Sunday, Nov. 21st, at 3 o'clock. Every one welcome. n39

FOUND—Rowboat. Apply 146 Croft St., James Bay. n32

WANTED—Situation on farm, experienced in Manitoba and Alberta. Box 706, Times. n33

GRAY PRINCESS GOWN FOR SALE. Bluff, never worn, \$5. Times Box 75. n41

LADY will give some help in return for nice home. Times Box 74. n42

BOY WANTED at 611 Fort street. n41

HORSE FOR SALE—Very cheap. Paul's Dye Works, Gladstone Ave. n22

OSTRICH FEATHERS—We have still some more of those beautiful plumes on hand, almost at cost. Write and I will call on you. Feathers, Times Office. n20

COMFORTABLY furnished or unfurnished rooms to let, moderate rental, central. 82 Mason street. n23

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POLISHED MAHOAGANY BUREAU, in good condition. W. C. Kerr, 719 Yates. n29

WHY SPEND YEARS learning a complicated system of shorthand? My system can be learned in a few months. Apply Box 365, Times. n29

JUST RECEIVED—From England, a large shipment of all-wool shawl rugs; also all-wool street and stable horse blankets. Call and get our prices. The B. C. Saddlery Co., 592 Yates St. n29

MATRICULATION—Civil service and law entrance exams, also for I. C. students, special classes in January. Victoria Business College. Apply to the Principal. n29

A VERY FINE NEW HOUSE—6 rooms and conservatory offered at much less than its value; \$500 down and \$30 a month. Apply 124 Belmont Ave. n29

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YOUR FORTUNE TOLD—Your past and future can be revealed; 127 horoscopes are wonderful diviners; try and send birth date with three 2c stamps. Alfred Dumas, Box 51, St. Laurent, Jacques-Cartier Co., P. Que. n29

TO LOAN—\$1,000 to \$2,000, on first mortgage, 7 per cent. C. Box 174, Post Office. n29

WANTED—An acre of ground, close to city limits and car, in exchange for equity in improved city property. Apply Westcott & Letts, Moody Block, 628 Yates street. n29

LARGE, solid English brass candlesticks, 2c; also 30 Victoria postal cards for 5c. My entire stock of Indian curios and baskets and brass goods below cost price. Christmas cards have arrived; will sell them at 1c each, none higher. 79 Johnson street, H. Stadthagen, the Indian trader. n29

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TO CONTRACTORS
Tenders are invited up to December 6th for new office building on the corner of Fort and Broad streets, Victoria, for the Times Printing & Publishing Co.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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For the purchase of a comfortable eleven roomed residence on ST. CHARLES STREET, with grounds, will be received by the undersigned up to noon of the 20th instant. Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the undersigned. No tender necessarily accepted.
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The late residence of Dr. Frank Hall, who has removed to Burleigh, on

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Thousands of women have written the story of their suffering, and have told how they were freed from it by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—for thirty years these reports have been published all over America.

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ONLY TWO STEAMERS FOR NORTHERN RUN

Princess Royal Going Out of Commission for Several Weeks.

For the next few months only two C. P. R. steamers will ply to and from the Northern B. C. ports. One of these, the Princess Beatrix, will also attend to the Queen Charlotte Islands business fortnightly, sailing from this port every fortnight. The steamer did not arrive in time on this trip, but will come here when she returns.

Steamer Princess May will sail fortnightly for Skagway and way ports, leaving on the 23rd. The Princess Royal, which arrived last night, will be thoroughly overhauled, her engines in particular needing a good deal of attention. It will take nearly two months to get her in good shape again.

The May and the Royal arrived from the North yesterday afternoon. They left Swanson Bay at the same time that did the Cottage City and the Yucatan, having lain there all night on account of the unfavorable weather. Snowstorms delayed them in Alaskan waters, one night having been spent behind Shelter Island.

Owing to the low rates in force a great many foreigners came south from Skagway, almost cleaning out that town. The May leaves for the North on Friday next.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle—Arrived: Str. Arizonan from San Francisco; str. Queen from San Francisco; str. Cottage City from Skagway; str. Yucatan from Valdez; Str. str. Oania from Victoria. Sailed: Str. Governor for San Francisco; str. Queen for Sound ports.

Port Townsend—Arrived: Str. Elwell from Nonsuch; str. Seward from Cordova; str. Jefferson from Seattle. Cordova—Arrived: Str. Portland from Valdez.

Everett—Arrived: Str. Olsen and Mahoney from Portland. San Francisco—Arrived: Str. Asuncion from Astoria; Sailed: Str. J. B. Station for Astoria; str. Harold Dollar for Puget Sound; str. G. C. Lindauer for Gray's Harbor.

Hoguliam—Sailed: Str. Santa Monica from San Francisco. Tacoma—Sailed: Str. Governor for Seattle; str. Riverton for United Kingdom.

Aberdeen—Sailed: Strs. Fairbank, Newburg and Svea for San Francisco. Arrived: Str. Clairmont from San Francisco; Hoguliam—Sailed: Strs. Jim Butler and San Jacinto for San Francisco. Arrived: Bktn. Jane L. Stanford from Valparaiso. Hongkong—Arrived: Str. str. Empress of India from Vancouver.

Mauritius—Sailed: Str. str. Sandown for Vancouver. Newcastle, N. S. W.—Arrived: Str. Harcourt from Everett.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.)

Point Grey, Nov. 20, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind S. E.; thick seaward; bar., 29.87; temp., 41; moderate sea; passed out, Governor at 6:25 p. m.; out, steamer 4:15 a. m.; in, three-masted Peruvian barque 6:50 a. m.

Pachena, Nov. 20, 8 a. m.—Passing showers; wind west; bar., 29.60; temp., 35; sea moderate.

Estevan, Nov. 20, 8 a. m.—Passing showers; wind west; bar., 29.75; temp., 43; light swell.

Capit. Lago, Nov. 20, noon—Clear; north-westerly breeze; bar., 29.63; temp., 43; sea smooth.

Point Grey, Nov. 20, noon—Cloudy; wind S. E.; bar., 29.67; temp., 46.

Tatoosh, Nov. 20, noon—Part cloudy; wind west 20 miles; bar., 29.52; temp., 44; passed out, Alberta at 10:10 a. m.

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SUCCESSFUL SEASON. Captains Bucey and Jackman Report Their Vessels Docked Without Incident.

There has been more freight taken up the Skeena river by the Hudson's Bay steamers this year than on any previous occasion. After laying up their steamers Captains J. P. Bucey, of the Hazelton, and T. J. Jackman, have come to Victoria for the winter, bringing word that their vessels have met with no difficulties, closing the season quite successfully.

There were a few tons of freight left at Prince Rupert, a consignment of machinery which arrived after the Hazelton had left on her last trip, and a few tons of oats. The season on the whole has been very successful from the point of view of the Hudson's Bay Co.

Ship W. H. Smith passed up this morning to Nanaimo for coal in tow of the tug Lorne.

Steamer Ella, of the Jensen line, will not arrive until Monday next. She is coming north from Mexico, having called at San Pedro and San Francisco en route.

RUPERT CITY MAY RUN TO SEATTLE

Rate War Expected Between Vancouver and Puget Sound.

The outbreak of another steamship rate war between Seattle and Vancouver is looked for by steamship men, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. Preparations are being made by the Mackenzie Brothers Steamship Company, of Vancouver, to place the steamship Rupert City on the run with a passenger rate about half the present one and a reduction in the freight charges in addition. The advent of the British steamer is looked upon by shipping men as the climax to a situation which has been threatening trouble for several weeks.

Sixteen Hopes, refused to either confirm or deny that the Rupert City was going on the run. Officials of the Puget Sound Navigation Company admitted that they had heard that the business was to be invaded by the British steamer, but did not believe that the vessel would go on the run.

At the present time the only passenger steamer between Seattle and Vancouver is the direct line of the Puget Sound Company. The Waiwale, of the same company, and the Morning Star, operated by Hind, Rolph & Company, carry freight only and maintain a regular schedule, sailing on alternate days.

NAVAL COLLEGE FOR SIDNEY, AUSTRALIA

Lord Mayor Offers Sufficient Money to Erect Building for Institution.

The Lord Mayor of Sydney, Australia, has offered the government of the Commonwealth the sum of £35,000 to £40,000 in cash on condition that a naval college be erected in the city. The Lord Mayor in his letter referred to an interview which he had with Mr. Deakin and Mr. Joseph Cook on September 2nd, when the question of the Dreadnought fund raised in New South Wales for the purpose of assisting to procure a battleship for presentation to the Imperial government was discussed. In consequence of resolutions arrived at by the Imperial defence conference in London, the money was no longer required for that purpose. "I have now the honor," he continued, "by the direction of the gentlemen associated with me as a committee to raise this fund, to offer to the Commonwealth a portion, amounting to between £35,000 and £40,000 cash, to be used by your government for this committee for the erection of a naval college for the education and training of officers for the proposed Australian naval squadron, it being understood in the terms of our interview that the equipment, endowment, and maintenance will be undertaken for all time by the Commonwealth government of Australia. On receipt of your acceptance of this offer the money is available. The only conditions attached to the gift are:

1. That the college be established in or within the precincts of the city of Sydney.
2. That the erection be commenced within a reasonable time, to be indicated by you in your acceptance.

Senator Millen later alluded to the extremely handsome and generous offer and added that the government gratefully accepted it. The establishment of a naval college had for a long time been contemplated, and had advice from the Imperial defence conference, and maintenance had been taken. "No locality or localities had been specially indicated. The cost was expected to be within the sum offered by the Lord Mayor. The annual upkeep would depend upon the extent of training to be given, but the matter had yet to be determined. These questions were discussed at the Imperial defence conference, but did not seem to have been the subject of formal recommendations. Any other offers to assist in Australia's naval development would be gladly considered. No proposals as to favors had been submitted to or were expected by the government.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. The diaphone at Race Rocks light station will not be ready for operation on the 1st December next, as given in the notice lately published, therefore the steam whistle will be continued as the fog signal until the diaphone is established.

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ADrift in Launch ON LAKE SUPERIOR

Five Persons Rescued After Being Without Food for Sixty Hours.

(Times Leased Wire.) Duluth, Minn., Nov. 20.—After being tossed about helplessly for 84 hours in the "dead" gasoline launch, 60 hours of which they were without food, Axel Oberg, his wife and two children and two sailors were cast on the rocks of Lake Superior, 13 miles from here, late yesterday, more dead than alive.

By superhuman efforts the two sailors dragged themselves to this city, reaching here with the news of their terrifying experience.

The local life-saving crew manned a launch and brought the half-starved party here last night. Mrs. Oberg and her children were so weak that they were scarcely able to stand.

The party started from here for Two Harbors on Monday afternoon. They encountered a severe storm shortly after leaving this port, and the engine became disabled.

WITNESSES EXECUTION OF HUSBAND'S MURDERER

Woman Waits Near Scaffold Until Physicians Pronounce Man Dead.

Perry, Okla., Nov. 20.—"Now I can return home satisfied since the murderer of my husband is hanged," Mrs. Fell spoke yesterday, after witnessing the execution of Harry Armstrong, who killed her several months ago. When the date of Armstrong's hanging was set, Mrs. Fell begged the sheriff to permit her to see the event. After consultations with legal advisers he granted the request.

Mrs. Fell waited impatiently until she was summoned to the jail-yard, where the gallows had been erected. She was not willing to leave even when the drop had sprung, but insisted on waiting until the physicians had pronounced the murderer dead.

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Esquimalt's sturdy electors, among them a fair sprinkling of the brave and hardy defenders of the Empire on land and sea, gathered in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home last evening at a smoking concert, when they heard addresses from the coming member, John Jardine, and other Liberal speakers.

The smoker was by long odds the most successful and enjoyable ever held in the naval centre just west of the city, and the committee which had the arrangements in charge are to be congratulated. There was music and song galore to listen to between short and telling speeches, the best of abundance during an intermission—coffee, soft drinks, sandwiches, crackers and cheese. From 8 o'clock until midnight there was not a dull moment. Among those who contributed to the success of the event from the musical side were Messrs. John Melville, Cooney, Wright, S. J. Pomeroy, Nash and John Doble, the latter also acting as accompanist during the evening. All were given generous applause, especially the gallant tars, types of the men who will ere long be manning the ships of His Majesty's Canadian navy at Esquimalt and other ports. Around the hall were mottoes: "John Jardine, the workingman's candidate," "\$2,000,000 for naval defence at Esquimalt and Halifax," "Esquimalt expects every man to do his duty," "J. C. McIntosh made a splendid chairman and in a short speech eulogized the candidate and called on all honest men to rally to his support. On the platform were John Jardine, Lieut. Col. A. W. Currie, H. C. Heigesen, M. B. Jackson, F. V. Hobbs and P. Johnson.

Lieut. Col. Currie, who was the first speaker of the evening, complimented Mr. Jardine on being the object of such a splendid gathering and complimented the electors of Esquimalt on the man whom they were honoring. Dealing with railway matters he impressed upon his hearers that the Liberals were not opposed to the building of railways, but only to the construction of lines at great cost to the country which would simply parallel existing roads and not materially assist in the development of the province. If the parolhiner of the C.P.R. were to make freight rates lower there might possibly be some advantage in it, but the contract contained not one word about control of rates. Mackenzie & Mann would have absolute control of the situation.

So repugnant was the contract that life-long Conservatives had to declare their objection to it. Sir Hilbert Tupper was by no means alone in his opposition. The resignation of the strongest and most generally respected of the ministers was a thing that could not be got over by any amount of explanation. It must make the electors pause when they saw a shrewd and experienced financier like Captain Tattow leave the government because he could not approve of it, in view of the financial strain to breaking point which it would involve. When these men withdrew their support from Premier McBride on the eve of an election and told him he was trying to deceive the people, it was time to do some thinking.

The thing was another instance of the treachery of the Premier. Made Premier practically through the agency of John Oliver in the Columbia and Western matter, he knifed his Liberal supporters. Last election he went to the people on a better terms cry, false as his presentation of it was, and at that time, the colonel said, he had been told that McBride's next appeal would be on a contract with Mackenzie & Mann. If the government was returned he would doubt the Premier would know what his next appeal would be on.

Colonel Currie concluded with an eloquent appeal to the electors to vote for John Jardine in Esquimalt and help to place an honest government in power.

H. C. Heigesen gave some attention to railways that had not been on Vancouver Island, in spite of election promises and Mackenzie & Mann contracts. Dealing with the land question he said: "We have been trying to get settlers into this province to help us develop, but when men came we have not a block of land to give them, nor roads nor trails to get in anywhere. Instead of providing for settlers it has been the American capitalist who has been encouraged to come here, and through expert timber cruisers and Indian guides they have taken up not square miles, but hundreds of miles of the most valuable timber and agricultural lands. As a native son of the Island I have unbounded faith in its resources. We have gold and silver, and many other minerals, and in 1907 McBride promised to open up the island, but what has he done? The Mill Bay road they talk so much of will not benefit the island, and is a waste of money. If the money had been spent on opening up the island, so as to enable the prospector to get into the interior and prospect for mineral, it was quite within the range of possibility that there would be mines opened up and developed that would equal, if not exceed, anything on the American continent.

"We are united and put in a clean,

business like government, under John Oliver, we can have these opened up and developed."

The Candidate, Mr. Jardine was given a rousing reception, the audience cheering him to the echo. The late member—and member-to-be—spoke of the difficulties of getting justice for Esquimalt government money from the McBride government and continued:

"We have reached a time when the Dominion government is proposing to give us the things we want and the great public works so essential to the maintenance of the unity of the Empire. In this outpost of the Empire we have a harbor that is fit to contain every one of his Majesty's ships. I have no doubt that in what pertains to the establishment here of depots for the greatest of empires, the Empire that the sun never sets upon, there will be no differences here in Esquimalt in regard to the great opportunities that lie before us and the developing of our great harbor. (Cheers.) It is most unfortunate that we have at the head of affairs in British Columbia gentlemen not equal to the Dominion government on every occasion and obstructive tactics have been such a stumbling-block, when the people have a right to expect their government to assist in getting what is coming to them. By their duplicity and deceit, by their hoodwinking of the people, by their cool and deliberate deceiving of the electorate in order to retain place and power, the McBride government has forfeited all respect and confidence of honest men.

"It rests with the citizens whether they will return to power that government or summon to the head of their government a man endowed by nature with every qualification to fill the position, a man who has risen from the ranks by his own ability and hard work to the position of leader of the great Liberal party in this province. (Cheers.) We will make no mistake in so casting our ballots that John Oliver will become our next premier. (Hear, hear.) I know his great heart and mind and I know that in him we have a man whose heart beats in sympathy with humanity, who will give to us those rights which are ours in this great country.

"If you place him in power the great potential wealth of this richest of provinces will be handled in such shape that every person in the province will feel the benefit. It will not be handed over to private individuals, many of them aliens. We have a great heritage in British Columbia and especially in this island of ours. From the place where we are to Salt River it is estimated that there are twenty billion feet of the finest merchantable timber in the world. Instead of preserving and conserving that in the interests of the people it is handed over to two or three lumber corporations. If you want a bit of lumber for building a home you have to pay four and five prices. These conditions will continue so long as you return to the legislature a majority to support the McBride government."

Local Questions.

Mr. Jardine took up local matters and showed the indifference of the government to the needs of Esquimalt, even after the existence of those needs had been admitted by the premier and minister of public works. The Lampson street school, with its false heart within a thin veneer he declared to be a pretty good type of the McBride government and the audience applauded this. The premier had promised that the people of Esquimalt would have a new school to be under way in not less than two weeks from that time. Instead of that there were 250 children in a building with walls an inch thick, and on a dull day they had to be sent home because of the poor lighting. Mr. Jardine said he had urged the building of a \$25,000 school, but then he had not known the policy of the Conservative Association. That was most unfortunate for the children of Esquimalt! It would never do for the government to carry out a suggestion that came from John Jardine! While the government increased the grant for public works in the riding to \$25,000 last session at his request, Hon. Thomas D'Angelo tried to make out now that it was done through the instrumentality of the president of the Conservative Association. The disgracefully unsanitary condition of portions of the town were dealt with by Mr. Jardine, and the utter neglect of this most important of matters.

University Site.

On the university site Mr. Jardine called attention to the manner in which the government was dominated by Attorney-General Bowser in favor of Vancouver, instead of dealing directly with the matter and establishing the university here. Mr. McLennan was in favor of a site at Cadboro Bay, but a man like Lord Strathcona believed that the corner of Craigflower road and Admiral's road would be an ideal site.

"I hold in my hands three letters in regard to the establishment of an experimental farm within a stone's throw of where we are," continued Mr. Jardine. "It reads, 'Will the Hudson's Bay Company whether the Dominion government is able to get the property.'"

A scathing denunciation of the attorney-general was indulged in by Mr. Jardine and he also referred to an insinuating statement that was being circulated by the Conservatives to the effect that a man's vote could be traced up and it would be the worse for him if he voted against Helmsken. He assured any electors who might be inclined to believe this that their ballot was quite secret.

M. B. Jackson.

M. B. Jackson made a rattling good speech, recalling the great services rendered by Liberalism to the people. He pointed out that there was no land for settlers in this province. Surveys have been made and are available to friends of the government to pick out choice sections but the public cannot see them nor can it get any information. He dealt with the railway question and showed that there will be railway connections down before the proposed C. N. R. route long before that line could build through. The G. T. P. has surveyors in the field and also the C. P. R.

After giving his hearers some history and facts regarding the C. N. R. in the middle west Mr. Jackson took up

the Conservative argument that the aiding of the C. N. R. was a good policy because the Manitoba government had aided that company to build a line outside the province. The latter line was to give an outlet to the lakes from the prairie, and on the same argument if any province was to aid a C. N. R. line to the coast it would be Alberta, which was getting the outlet and not British Columbia, which was simply being used for the outlet.

Frederick Guest dealt with school matters.

The meeting closed with cheers for the King, the Liberal leader and Mr. Jardine, and the singing of the National Anthem.

OTTAWA TORIES FAIL IN EFFORT

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act of this parliament providing for their salaries has been brought into effect by his excellency. But I am taking no such position, so far as I am concerned I am perfectly willing to assume responsibility for any proclamation by his excellency in council bringing into force the Dominion statutes providing for the payment of salaries to the judges of the court of Appeal in British Columbia.

Now how stands the matter as far as dates are concerned? In April, 1907, the court was constituted in British Columbia, the statute not made effective or brought into force. In 1908 this parliament provided the salaries, the statute not brought into force. The statute of this parliament was assented to in July 1908. If there had been any crying need for this new court in 1907, if the five judges had been already had, were unable to cope with the business of the court so that they needed four additional judges, one would suppose that those who were charged with the responsibility for the administration of justice in that province would at least have acted then with promptness, and when the salaries had been provided by the necessary legislation of the Dominion parliament, and when nothing remained but the bringing into force of the provincial act constituting that court, and the appointment of judges to that court, one would suppose, if there were necessity for prompt action, we should have had something done during the summer months of 1908. We had nothing done.

The hon. gentleman refers to the unfortunate or to the disagreeable or the unpleasant rumors on the subject at the present time. I wonder if he heard any rumors twelve months ago. I wonder if he heard during the summer in 1908 any rumors that these judicial positions were being made pawns in the political game, that the government of British Columbia were waiting in hope that the elections of October, 1908, might bring a change of government at Ottawa. The delusion was dispelled on the 28th of October last by the return of the government. Still nothing was heard of the government of British Columbia bringing this act into force. Months passed, nothing was heard about the matter. The hon. gentleman says he is informed that this government was informed as long ago as May last that this statute would be brought into effect on the 1st of September then following. The information which the hon. gentleman has, so far as I am aware, is slightly inaccurate. I do not know to what he alludes. So far as I am aware, there has been nothing in the way of an official letter, or a private letter, or of anything in writing, by any member of this government, I do not know what could have passed in the way of conversation between any of my colleagues and any gentleman from British Columbia. I know only of what passed with regard to myself, and that is simply this: That last spring, I think in April, possibly in May, but somewhere about either the end of April or the early part of May, the attorney general of British Columbia was in the city of Ottawa on his way to the old country. He called upon me, we discussed this subject; he left me with the statement that this statute would be proclaimed on the following day, that he had made all arrangements for bringing it into force before he left Victoria, and that he was going straight to the telegraph office to send a telegram which would lead to the issue of the proclamation, and that I might look for the act being brought into force within the next few hours. I thought that it would be so, I expected it would be so.

I was here for some four weeks after that date, quiet expecting I would hear in the morning that this statute had been brought into force. Nothing was said to me about the 1st of September as a date when this act would be brought into force. I had no idea when it would be done, but that it was going to be done, as I understood, forthwith. And when weeks passed, and months passed, and I heard nothing, and although not in this country during the summer, I was in reasonably close touch with the progress of Canadian affairs and heard and saw nothing in the newspapers or otherwise of any bringing into force of this statute, I honestly thought that the opinion which I had previously in my own mind, whatever it was worth, namely, that this statute would never be brought into effect, was the correct one.

I had the impression, which the event demonstrated was entirely erroneous, I admit, but I had the impression that instead of going on and constituting a new and independent court of appeal calling for four additional judges, practically doubling the number of their judges in the province of British Columbia, a substitute arrangement increasing the number of the present judges of the existing court would be adopted, and that the statute would be either repealed or allowed to become a dead letter. I remained under that impression, no doubt I had no foundation for it, but it simply rested as a matter of my own inference and deduction until I returned to this country some four weeks ago. I was told then, perhaps the first day I was back in the office, certainly within a day or two, that the British Columbia Statute constituting the court of appeal for the province had been proclaimed, and had been brought into effect as from the 1st of September.

Then, my delay at any rate in act-

ing in this matter counts from that time, and I must bear responsibility that may rest upon me for the circumstances that since I reached Canada some four weeks ago and up to the present time, I have not made any recommendation for the appointment of judges to this court or any recommendation that our Dominion statute providing for the salaries of the judges of this court should be brought into effect by proclamation. That, of course, is more or less a formal step which can be taken at any time and which, it seemed to me, there was no necessity should be taken until I was prepared to make any recommendation of the individuals who should constitute the new court. Now, in that respect, I wish to be entirely frank and open with this House, as I have been in my communications with the attorney general of British Columbia, on the subject. I received a telegram from him some ten days or so after I had returned calling my attention to the fact that under the British Columbia statute the first sitting of the court of appeal would take place on the first Tuesday in the month of November—the second day of November instant. I looked at the statute to verify my recollection, I saw that the statement was entirely accurate. But side by side with that provision of the statute, I noticed the provision which the hon. leader of the Opposition has referred to to-day, that the court of appeal, when constituted, could hold a special sitting at any time it pleased. The regular sittings are to be on the first Tuesday of the month as I recollect it—of January, May and September of each year; but special sittings at either Vancouver or Victoria may be held at any time.

Accordingly, it was manifest that if there was no court in existence on the second of November, 1909, but if the court was brought into existence by the Dominion proclamation and by the appointment of judges at any day thereafter prior to the next regular sitting of the court, the new court could go to work immediately upon the judges being sworn in, if they saw fit to do so. I wrote at once to the attorney general of British Columbia pointing this out, as I regretted any embarrassment that the delay of even one day would cause in what I supposed may be called public business—in the private business of the litigants, to be accurate, I am sorry that should be the case. Delay in any litigation is always an injury to the suitor, and indirectly, to every interest connected with it. But I was not ready to make the recommendation of the individuals which it was my duty as minister of justice to make to his excellency in council, and I stated to the attorney general of British Columbia with complete frankness, exactly the position I was in in the matter.

It is not, I think, desirable that such things as the personnel of a court should be made—at any rate beforehand—a matter of public discussion. It is not, in that view, desirable that I should go into the same particularly one day would cause in what I supposed may be called public business—in the private business of the litigants, to be accurate, I am sorry that should be the case. Delay in any litigation is always an injury to the suitor, and indirectly, to every interest connected with it. But I was not ready to make the recommendation of the individuals which it was my duty as minister of justice to make to his excellency in council, and I stated to the attorney general of British Columbia with complete frankness, exactly the position I was in in the matter.

I do not know whether my ideas in the matter commended themselves to the attorney general or not. I have no doubt he has many other things to think of at the present moment than such details as I am referring to, and I have no astonishment to express that I have not received an answer. But in the absence of an answer I adhere entirely to the view I expressed in that letter, that it would be an inconvenient thing to make appointments to the court of appeal until I was in a position to make my recommendations to be made and that it was in the true interest of the general public, and, in the interest of the administration of justice in the province, desirable, that no appointment at all should be made until I was ready to make all the appointments. And I am not yet ready to do so.

I could name one man; I could name more than one man; for that matter I could name many more than the number of judges to be appointed—who are men, I think, fully qualified and eminently fit for the position. But the appointment of judges to any court, especially to a court of appeal for a province, is a matter about which, I think, any one charged with the responsibility of making the recommendations or selections ought to go reasonably slow. And the head and front of my offending in this matter is that I have now delayed some four weeks in the consideration of what course should be taken as to these appointments and that I am proposing to delay still a little longer.

But I trust that before the end of the present month these appointments will be made and the court of appeal for British Columbia enabled to start upon its work. In the meantime, the situation is that which I have described. And, if the province of British Columbia and those in charge of the administration of its affairs can wait patiently a period of two years and four months before they choose to bring a court of appeal sitting on the 2nd of November and possibly of the second day of December is not one for which this

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CITY CHURCHES

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ANGLICAN.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning service and ante-communion, 11 a. m.; evening service at 7 p. m. Music set for the day follows:

Morning. Organ-Andante.....Guilmant. Psalms-As set.....Russell. Te Deum.....Benedictus.....Garrett. Kyrie.....Mendelssohn. Hymns.....186, 268 and 272. Organ-Postlude.....Smart.

Evening. Organ-Elevation.....Balliste. Hymn.....202. Psalms-As set.....Simper in F. Nunc Dimittis.....Simper in F. Anthem-O. Worship the Lord.....Smith. Hymns.....288, 287 and 277. Recessional Hymn.....225.

St. James' Quebec street, corner of St. John. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8; matins, ante-communion and sermon at 11; Sunday school at 2:30; evensong and sermon at 7. The music follows:

Morning. Organ Voluntary.....Cathedral Psalter. Psalms and Psalms.....2nd Alternative. Benedictus.....Langdon. Kyries.....MS. Hymns.....202 and 160. Organ Voluntary.....

Evening. Organ Voluntary.....Cathedral Psalter. Magnificat.....Smart. Nunc Dimittis.....St. John. Hymns.....261, 186 and 288. Vesper Hymn.....Caffre. Organ Voluntary.....

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caladonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., matins at 9:30 a. m., short eucharist and sermon at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning. Organ-Quil Telle.....Mozart. Communion Service.....Simper in D. Hymns.....280, 317, 218 and 191. Offertory Anthem.....Fitzgerald. Nunc Dimittis.....St. John. Organ-Mizpah.....Smallwood.

Evening. Organ-Pastorale.....Crossley. Psalms.....Cathedral Psalter. Magnificat.....Barbry. Nunc Dimittis.....Wesley. Hymns.....27 and 289. Vesper-Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night. Organ-We Magnify Thee.....Handl.

St. John's, Douglas street, corner of Fisguard. Preachers: Morning, Rev. Percival Jemms, the rector; evening, Rev. A. J. Stanley Arq. The music follows:

Matins. Organ Voluntary.....Barbry. Venite.....Cathedral Psalter. Psalms for 21st Morning.....Barbry. Te Deum.....Burnett in G. Benedictus.....Trotbeck. Hymn.....296. Kyrie.....Burnett in E Flat. Gloria Tibi.....Burnett in A Flat.

Hymns.....28 and 230. Organ-Postlude.....Evenings. Organ Voluntary.....Proclamation Hymn.....57. Psalms for 21st Evening.....Cathedral Psalter. Magnificat.....Barbry. Nunc Dimittis.....Wesley. Anthem-The Radiant Morn'g-Woodward. Hymns.....27 and 25. Amen.....Fourfold. Vesper.....Burnett. Organ-Postlude.....

Anglican Mission Sunday school, Oak Bay district, new school house, Oak Bay avenue. Held every Sunday at 3 p. m., under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Bishop Ferris will address the school to-morrow.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord, Humboldt street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at evening service. Sermons by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone. Morning subject, "The Servant of God in the Political Arena"; evening, "They That Feared the Lord Spoke Often One to Another." The music follows:

Morning. Organ-Andante.....Henry Farmer. Venite and Psalms-As set.....Cathedral Psalter. Te Deum.....XII. Hymns.....Mercer. Jubilate-XIV.....Mercer. Hymn.....52. Kyrie-VII.....Mercer. Hymns.....361 and 49. Organ-Postlude.....L. J. Darwall. Evening.

Organ-Andante.....Henry Farmer. Hymn.....53. Psalms-As set.....Cathedral Psalter. Magnificat.....Barbry. Nunc Dimittis.....Barbry. Hymns.....413, 389 and 449.

BAPTIST.

Emmanuel, Spring Ridge. The music for to-morrow follows: Morning. Holy, Holy, Holy.....Hymns.....46 and 225. Organ-Adagio in F.....Spohr. Anthem-O. Taste and See.....Sir J. Goss. Hymns.....170 and 317.

Evening. Hymns.....19 and 57. Organ-Andante Cor. Moto.....F. Archer. Anthem-The Eyes of All.....Elvey. Hymns.....170 and 64.

Tabernacle, corner of Fairfield road and Chester street. Rev. F. T. Tapscott, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Ethics of the Atonement"; evening, "The Local Option Issue." Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. A cordial invitation extended to all.

First, Victoria hall, Blanchard street, near Pandora. H. C. Speller, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. General Bible classes, with Philathea class and Barava class, at 2:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. on Monday at 8 p. m. Morning subject, "God's Valuations"; evening subject, "Forgiveness." Come and enjoy a service with us.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra streets. Pastor, T. Ernest Hoelling, B. A. Lesson Sunday. Services: 10 a. m., class meeting; 11 a. m., public worship, subject, "Doing All to the Glory of God"; 2:30 p. m., Metropolitan Sabbath school; 7:30 p. m., Spring Ridge Sabbath school; 7:30 p. m., Spring Ridge public worship, subject, "Local Option, a Square Deal for Both Sides"; anthem, "Whoso Dwelleth Under the Defence, Griffiths; solo, "The Plains of Pease," Burnard, by Mr. J. O. Dunford. Large chorus choir of 55 voices led by J. M. Morgan. Ladies are requested to remove their hats at the evening service. All cordially invited.

James Bay, corner of Michigan and Menzies streets. A. N. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 11; subject, "The Prodigal." Evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible classes at 2:30. Epworth League service on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The woman's class meeting in the parsonage on Wednesday at 3 p. m. The weekly prayer service on Thursday evening at 7:30, followed by the study of the Sunday school lesson. The Junior Epworth League will meet on Friday afternoon immediately at the close of school. Choir practice on Friday evening at the usual hour.

Victoria West, corner of Catherine and Mary streets. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. H. A. Carter, pastor, will preach in the morning, and addresses on the Local Option situation will be delivered in the evening by R. M. Pullerton and the pastor, Rev. A. E. Roberts. A hearty welcome to all. A. E. Roberts, pastor.

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St. Columba, Hulton street, off Oak Bay avenue. Rev. Dr. Whittier, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:45 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited. The music follows:

Morning. Psalms.....35 and 63. Hymns.....387 and 218. Evening. Psalm.....74. Hymns.....175, 178 and 66.

St. Andrew's, Douglas street, corner of Broughton. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preacher, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A. The music follows:

Morning. Organ-Reveries in A.....Perry. Psalm.....25. Solo-For Evermore.....Bonheur. Miss Budd. Hymns.....14, 19 and 567. Organ-Offertoire in B Flat.....Read.

Evening. Organ-Serenade Romantique.....Mansfield. Psalm.....Solo-Be Thou Night.....Bailey. Mrs. Brydges. Hymns.....111 and 241. Organ-Lebanon March.....Westbrook.

First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30. Club meeting on Monday evening. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Rev. Geo. A. Wilson, M. A., will preach in the forenoon.

St. Paul's, Henry street, Victoria West. Rev. D. MacLure, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30, and Y. P. S. C. E. at 4:15 p. m.

LUTHERAN.

St. Paul's, 521 Meares street. Divine services to German at 11 a. m.; theme, "Bebold, He Cometh." Evening service in English at 7:30; theme, "A Timely Appeal." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Classes in both languages. Pupils may enrol any time. Saturday study classes for children meet at the church at 2 p. m. These classes to take part in this week.

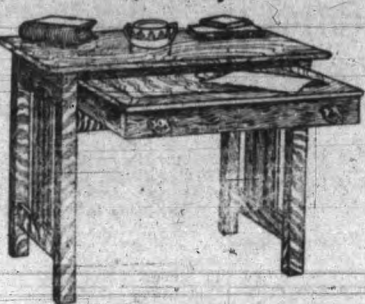
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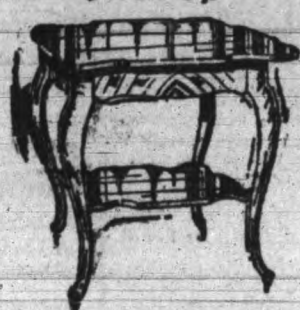
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OTHER DENOMINATIONS.

Christadelphians, A. O. U. W. buildings, Yates street. Public meeting at 7:30 p. m.; subject, "God's Intention With the Earth and Popular Misconceptions on the Subject." Questions and discussion invited. All welcome.

Salvation Army, citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., holiness meeting; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 2 p. m., praise meeting; 7:30 p. m., salvation meeting in the Grand theatre. These meetings will be conducted by Staff Capt. Wakefield, of Vancouver, assisted by Staff Capt. Hayes and Capt. Knudson, who have just returned to the city from the south, where they spent their vacation. All are invited.

Victoria Seaman's Mission, Seaman's Institute, Bastion street. A mission service, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild, Victoria branch of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, will be held at 2:30 a. m. All seamen and their friends

cordially invited. J. S. Baffey, port missionary.

Psycho Research Society, Foresters' hall, No. 2, on Broad street, between Pandora avenue and Johnson street. On Sunday at 8 p. m. Mrs. F. V. Jackson will give an address, subject to be taken from the congregation, followed by clairvoyant descriptions and messages. On Thursday at the above hall a meeting open to all. All are welcome.

Christian Science church, 935 Pandora street. Services on Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock. Subject for to-morrow, "Soul and Body." All are welcome.

Spiritualism, 724 Caladonia avenue. R. H. Kneeshaw lectures at 8 p. m.; subject, "The Candle of the Lord." All are welcome to these meetings.

Society of Friends, Y. M. C. A. hall, Broad street. Meeting for worship, 11 a. m.; mission meeting, 7 p. m.

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News of Greater Great Britain



United Kingdom

ADMIRALTY AND CITIES.

LONDON. There is no occasion to wait for the prime minister's rejoinder to Lord Charles Beresford's arraignment of the Admiralty in regard to the cases of Admiral Sturdee and Captain Hulbert in order to understand the main facts, says the naval correspondent of the Express.

Shortly after the transfer of Lord Charles Beresford from the Mediterranean to the Channel fleet a meeting against the Admiralty was started with the object of expelling Sir John Fisher from the Admiralty. A new board of admiralty was nominated by the mutineers, and was ready to take office immediately Sir John was evicted. So far had this mutiny proceeded that appointments outside the Admiralty are said to have been allocated to certain officers who had pinned their faith to the capacity, statesmanship and power of their leader.

An appeal was made to Caesar. When Caesar gave his judgment the failure of the mutineers was publicly recorded by the verdict of the cabinet committee—a verdict which, before publication, I understand, was communicated to Mr. Balfour, together with the evidence on which it was based.

PICTURES OF MICROBES.

LONDON. The remarkable series of "moving pictures" exhibited before the French Academy of Science by means of a combination of the microscope and the cinematograph has aroused the keenest interest in British medical and scientific circles.

F. Martin-Duncan, F.R.P.S., who first combined the uses of microscope and cinematograph, and who is an authority on animal, plant, and insect life photography, declared to an Express representative that the value of the combination to medical biological and bacteriological science could scarcely be exaggerated.

"It means a permanent record of the movements of minute organisms," said Mr. Martin-Duncan, "and this record can afterwards be studied in detail at leisure."

Mr. Martin-Duncan, by means of the combined apparatus, has already succeeded in taking a striking series of moving pictures, which have been exhibited before the Royal Society of Arts in the Linnean, and other learned societies.

These include the following:—The movements of a water-flea, showing the heart actually beating and the digestive process actually at work within its transparent body.

The ciliary movements of the gills of a fresh-water mussel.

The darting tongue and waving facial hair of a common house-fly, foremost among the transmitting agents of disease.

The various movements of a single leg of a minute centipede.

The detailed circulation of blood in a frog, and, more remarkable still, the circulation of protoplasm in common water-weed.

The various stages in a blood-sucking cheese by cheese-mites—silver, crab-like forms—which are shown with comprehensive anatomical details.

MUSICAL AWAKENING.

LONDON. Sir Hubert Parry, the distinguished composer, was entertained at dinner by the Author's club at Whitehall Court, S.W., and gave an address on "Music and Democracy."

"Music, he said, enjoyed the happy advantage that it could not be annexed by millionaires and hung up on the walls of their houses for the benefit of their exclusive friends. Music was everybody's property."

In the last twenty-five years there had been an awakening in the gift of expression of music in Britain that was almost incredible. An institution with which he was connected had performed the pieces of more than fifty young composers—many of a very high artistic value—while there were dozens more left out.

Japan-British Exhibition. The first meeting of the Transportation committee of the Japan-British Exhibition, 1910, was held at the Hotel Windsor, London. The objects of the meeting were:—(1) To make arrangements for the transport of goods to the exhibition grounds; (2) to arrange for the conveyance of passengers; (3) to supervise all exhibits which had to do with transportation in its various branches. The committee included representatives of the principal railway companies of the United Kingdom.

Judge Smully, K. C., at Shorehitch, London, asked the defendant in an action a question, and in being answered the plaintiff excitedly exclaimed: "That is a deliberate lie." His Honor replied: "You must not say that, only politicians are allowed to use such language."

New Zealand

NATIONAL EXHIBITION.

WELLINGTON. A deputation waited upon the prime minister (the Hon. Sir Joseph Ward), and asked him that a bare majority should suffice to legalize national prohibition. The arguments put forward by the speakers appeared to impress the premier, and he promised to introduce legislation to enable parliament to express its view on the subject. Sir Joseph also promised legislation to a deputation of bookmakers, who asked for the abolition of the totalizator.

Dominion's Wonderful Scenery. P. Warnford Davis, one of the London delegates to the Empire Chambers of Commerce Congress, a party of whom are touring New Zealand, has expressed the delight of himself and his friends at the scenery of the Dominion. They have been on a visit to the Rotoura hot springs district, and are full of enthusiasm over its wonderful sights. "It's worth coming from England to see Rotoura alone," Mr. Warnford Davis said. "I have never seen anything in the Empire to touch it."

The Trade Union Congress has passed a unanimous resolution calling on the government to introduce a "Right to Work" bill.

Loan Authorized. Parliament has authorized the issue of a loan for £1,000,000, which the premier anticipates will meet all requirements for public works, such as railway building and opening up land for settlement, until September next. There is no lack of money in the Dominion, but as all the works are reproductive it is thought better not to disturb the local money market.

West Indies

BERMUDA LEGISLATURE.

HAMILTON. In his speech opening the present session of the legislature, his Excellency the Governor (Lieut.-General F. W. Kitchener, C.B.E.) said that the colony was to be congratulated on its growing popularity with visitors from Canada and the United States, and on the increased facilities for steamship communication with New York and England.

The declared value of vegetables and potatoes exported during the agricultural season was in each case the highest on record, amounting to a combined total of over £2,000. The value of the potatoes was 41 per cent, and of the vegetables no less than 125 per cent, in excess of the value of the average annual shipments for the last ten years.

The value of the onions exported, on the other hand, was only £26,000, or nearly 50 per cent, below the annual average for the past decade. The unsatisfactory result of the onion sales was largely if not entirely due to insufficient appreciation of the advantages of co-operation and of advertisement abroad by direct representatives.

While his excellency regretted that it was found necessary to increase the taxation on imported foodstuffs under the Custom Tariff Act, 1908, it was gratifying to find that it had brought about an increase of revenue which bid fair to exceed the most sanguine expectations. For the first eight months of this year the revenue amounted to £42,000, as compared with £34,000 for the corresponding period in 1908, an increase of 23.5 per cent. The revenue exceeded the expenditure by £1500, so that notwithstanding the investment of £11,000 under the provisions of the Dredger Act, 1908, the cash balance in the Public Treasury at the end of August was £13,700, a sum £2,300 in excess of the balance at the end of August last year.

COTTON EXPORTS.

BARBADOES. The amount of cotton exported from the British West Indies during the quarter ended June 30 was 2400 bales, weighing 797,542 lb., and valued at £25,110. All went to the United Kingdom with the exception of twenty bales.

Rubber Trees. The rapidly with which rubber trees are growing in the north-west district augurs well for the future of the colony's rubber industry, says a Georgetown correspondent. Now that bananas are being exported weekly from the neighboring colony of Surinam the possibility of the establishment of a banana industry here is being seriously discussed.

Permanent Exhibit. The Permanent Exhibition Committee have decided to establish a standing exhibit of British Guiana produce in Montreal. With the object of attracting tourists and capitalists, a new handbook has just been published under government auspices.

Deadlock Continues. The constitutional deadlock has not yet ended at Castries and it has been claimed that the legislative council is incompetent to legislate without the elected members, who, it will be remembered, have resigned in a body. The Earl of Crewe, in a despatch published in the Gazette, has stated, however, that royal instructions issued in May 1908 provide that the council shall not be disqualified from the transaction of business on account of any vacancies provided there is a quorum of four members present.

Emigration. The return immigrant ship Muthal left Port of Spain for Calcutta with 600 souls, of whom 588 were from this colony and 111 from Jamaica. The former remitted £13,626 in money and jewels.

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FINE CROP REPORTS.

MELBOURNE. There were shown in the Ministerial room at the agricultural department recently some fine specimens of wheat, barley, and rye grown at the Pera Bore farm, situated about nine miles from Bourke. Some of the wheat grown by irrigation from the bore water was over six feet in height, and known as the "John Brown" variety. This wheat was sown by W. J. Allen, fruit expert of the department, is one of the best kinds for use in a dry country, and it will yield a better crop than most varieties under such circumstances. The specimen shown today, it was stated, goes more than 20 bushels to the acre, but it was grown at the bore mostly for hay. Another specimen of wheat was shown, grown at the farm, but without any irrigation. Notwithstanding this, there was not much to choose between the two lots. The red soil at the bore is stated to be excellent for cereals, and when the season is a good one, as at present, an excellent crop can be obtained even without water from the bore.

The specimen of what is known as "Shelley's barley" was of fine quality, and equal to a growth up to 30 bushels an acre. No bore water was used; similarly the rye was well grown, and also without special irrigation.

The Pera orange is noted. It is claimed by Mr. Allen that no better oranges are grown anywhere in this world. There is a peculiar flavor about these huge oranges which seems to combine the best of many fruits; the same kind of orange grown, say, near Sydney, is comparatively tasteless beside them. In a good season they can be brought to perfection without any special irrigation. A number of these oranges were recently sent to Lord Jersey, the Lord Mayor of London, and the Lord Provost of Glasgow. They were found to carry well, and pronounced to be of the finest quality. All of which shows the possibilities in fruit and wheat before the farmer in the Far West.

Experiments have been carried on for some time with regard to grasses to ascertain what varieties will stand the dry conditions best. Rhodes grass was planted three years ago, and it has not been irrigated, and is still flourishing. It has been found that in the red soil this grass is the most suitable. Paspalum, which flourishes so readily and grows so luxuriantly in the northern dairying district, could not stand the dry conditions and died off. It must be irrigated if it is to live.

Experiments are now being carried on with various fruits and cereals to test the value of bore water, and to ascertain how they thrive without irrigation of any kind.

CAPITAL AGREEMENT.

SYDNEY. The Premier brought back with him from Melbourne copies of the agreement arrived at between the Commonwealth and the state of New South Wales with regard to the surrender of territory in connection with the Federal capital. Some alterations have been made in the original arrangement as the result of Mr. Wade's visit. The Premier explains that the only alterations are with regard to paragraph 5, which now includes certain additional areas on the foreshores of Jervis Bay which had been proclaimed reserves, and had passed to the Commonwealth on the transfer of the department of defence. These are included in the agreement for greater precaution, as some doubt might otherwise exist whether they complied with the terms in connection with the Department of Defence at the time of the transfer.

Mr. Wade, also points out that an agreement has been arrived at with regard to the position of the state towards the Commonwealth in connection with the unpaid balances on the site for Crown lands. It is substantially provided that where the sale has been completed between the state and the individual, and all that is needed to complete the transaction is the payment of the balances of the purchase money—in those cases if the balances are paid at a date subsequent to the surrender of the territory such sum shall be held in trust for the state.

Other conditions have to be fulfilled, as well as the payment of balances of purchase money. The Commonwealth stands in the place of the state, and it rests with the former to say that the conditions are fulfilled, and when they have been carried out the payments of moneys to complete the transaction belong to the Commonwealth. Likewise, any rents payable on leases from the Crown now current will be henceforth payable to the Commonwealth. Inasmuch as by the Constitution the revision of 20 waste lands of the Crown inside the territory passes to the Commonwealth.

Liberal Candour. The greatest crime of the modern Liberal Party, and the one which distinguishes it from the good and honest Liberal Party of old days, is its hatred of dukes and ingratitude for the services which they do to the nation.—Westminster Gazette.

Budget and Referendum. Although the application of the referendum to the budget may not be free from difficulties, or wholly justified by precedent, the principle is so important that no opportunity for its introduction should be lightly disregarded.—Spectator.

True National Spirit.

Why should the Unionist working man be kept outside parliament, while the Socialist and the professional agitator are freely elected to misrepresent him in that assembly? Under existing conditions, political and social, they are the disunity of the country and a class war which are most to be feared; nor can the danger be averted until the Constitutional party in parliament as outside it is recruited from every rank and condition. Only thus can a truly national spirit and its expression, and the interest of the State become predominant over the interests of class and of party.—Standard.

Beresford and Asquith. The disclosures now made will deeply disturb the public mind, which will look to the prime minister for action that will clear himself and his Majesty's government from all responsibility in connection with the astounding treatment accorded, even on the Admiralty's showing, to officers to whom a guarantee had been given that they should be in no way prejudiced.—Morning Post.

National Theatre. The drama is at present as thoroughly centralized as it possibly can be, to the great loss of the provincial playgoer. What is needed for the healthy dramatic life of the country is the restoration of the stock company system without its drawbacks of slovenliness, shabbiness, happy-go-lucky carelessness; and to this end the first effectual step must certainly be the establishment of a national repertory theatre.—Daily Chronicle.

English Meals. We all drink tea because our coffee is undrinkable, and our coffee is undrinkable because we refuse to take the trouble to make it decently. So it is with all English meals, except among those who can afford to import their cooks. And the consequence is that our working and middle classes spend twice as much as they need upon their food, and only get dyspepsia in return. To be sure, there are the county council classes in domestic economy, where the pupils are preparing to try their experiments on our vile bodies, and for what we are about to receive may we be duly thankful.—Daily News.

Representation of Labor. There is no antagonism between the interests of the various classes of the community, and it is for the good of all that every section should be represented in the Imperial parliament. On labor and capital working in harmony depend national progress and national prosperity. Capital has its representatives at Westminster. Generally speaking, labor is misrepresented.—Daily Express.

An Open Challenge. The Anti-Socialist Union's appeal is the first open challenge to the people to arouse themselves against the menace that threatens them; numbers of the mere unthinking have already come under the sway of the specious arguments of the Socialist camp; numbers of another class are recruited almost from day to day by the inflammatory arguments now openly used. The danger increases; the union opens the way by which all may help to defeat it.—Daily Graphic.

Women Who Vote. Women, of course, may vote at the coming borough council elections and can be relied upon to cast their votes for the progressives; but the numbers of the mere unthinking have already come under the sway of the specious arguments of the Socialist camp; numbers of another class are recruited almost from day to day by the inflammatory arguments now openly used. The danger increases; the union opens the way by which all may help to defeat it.—Daily Graphic.

Suburban Slums. To the ardent sanitarian there appears to be a regrettable though understandable policy of crowding together small cottages in new districts, bringing to the prophetic eye visions of future mean slums.—Sanitary Record.

Dearer Money, Less Wages. The more the security of capital is attacked, or its natural rate of growth restrained, the greater will be the return demanded for its use, with the effect that of the total output of the joint production of capital and labor, the share appropriated to capital by way of interest and profit will increase in ratio to the expense of the other share appropriated to labor in wages and salaries.—Railway Times.

Small Holdings. The constantly Socialistic character of the present legislation came out yesterday upon the proposal to exempt rating authorities from reversion duty. It was resisted by the government on the ground that they intend rating authorities to escape reversion duty by not selling any of their land. In other words, this lever is to be used for what it may be worth to force land out of private ownership into that of public bodies or of the State. The small holdings policy of the government is in the same way running upon lines parallel to the Socialist policy of transferring all private property and means of production from individuals to the State. They have set their faces against the creation of cultivating proprietors, and aim at setting up a class of perpetual tenants with the State as landlord. As these tenants are to have no tenant right, it is obvious that the State is to seize upon whatever permanent improvements they may make in their holdings.—The Times.

Manufacturing Unemployed. It is one of the gravest errors of the existing system of haphazard economic development that we continue to manœuvre unskilled laborers by the thousand every year. They can accumulate no reserve, with the result that a few days after they lose a situation they are penniless, and a penniless man finds it hard, from the mere difficulty of locomotion, to get a job. The only cure for unemployment lies in changed social and moral conditions.—Globe, London.



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ADVERTISE IN THE VICTORIA EVENING TIMES



"King Dodo"
 "King Dodo," one of the merriest comedy operas of recent years, will be the attraction at Victoria theatre Monday night. This promises to be the theatrical musical event of the season locally.

"King Dodo" is, perhaps, the most successful entertainment of its nature produced from the pens of American authors. The writer of the libretto is Frank Pixley, while the music is by Gustav Luders. Mr. Pixley's book is filled with bright lines. He has taken for his theme the desire of an old king to regain his youth, and when the king does reach the coveted goal he finds that he has only gathered the apples of Hesperides. For a certain bewitching queen, who has fallen in love with him as an old man, will have nothing to do with him as a young one, and so he is very happy when a band of conspirators throw him into the same fountain from which he has first taken his magic draught and which restores the monarch to his old age. The complications are fully as amusing as any that have ever been presented on the stage.

"King Dodo" has a wonderful record. It enjoyed a run of one solid year, divided between Broadway theatre, New York, the Tremont theatre, Boston, and the Studebaker theatre, Chicago. During the engagement at Daly's there was not a vacant seat in the house. This is saying much for the drolleries of this merry monarch.

"King Dodo" is being presented under the management of John Cort. The costumes, scenery and effects are all new and are said to be unusually magnificent.

The company of principals which Mr. Cort has selected is one of rare ex-

cellence, and the chorus is said to be a most attractive one.

Among the wondrously tuneful vocal numbers may be mentioned "The Tale of a Bumble Bee," "Look in the Book and See," "A Jolly Old Potentate," "Two Hearts Made One," "The Enchanting Doctor First," "Diana," "The Cat's Quartette," "I'll Do or Die," "Old Father Time," "The Lad Who Leads" and "In the Spring."

From Broadway.

"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" will be at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday night. Cohan and Harris take pleasure in announcing that this great musical play is presented in this its fourth season, with the original cast, an entire new scenic investiture, brand new costumes, and after a general overhauling by the famous author Geo. M. Cohan.

Charles Brown as "Kid Burns," who modestly wears the weight of laurels gathered in every city in the United States, returns in the creation he made famous and will be warmly welcomed here both for his cleverness and for the many warm friends he has in this city.

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GHOSTS AND MAGIC ON HUDSON'S BAY

How Scientist Escaped Indians—Smashed Medicine Man's Drum.

Alonso Skinner, of the Anthropological Bureau in the American Museum of Natural History, has just returned to New York from adventures among the Ojibway tribes on the southern shore of Hudson's Bay.

This was Mr. Skinner's second trip among these tribes. He says they are particularly hostile to white men, and among the least civilized of all the North American Indians.

From the first several tribes refused to make friends with him, and one settlement on Cat Lake proved particularly resentful of his studies. There was but one instance of hostility among many other tribes, not far away sending him word, when it was reported to them early in June that he had returned, that if he did not leave the section at once they would kill him on sight.

Knowing their superstitions, he sent word in reply that, though they might kill his body, they could not kill his soul, and if they did kill his body they would hunt them for ever. This message so unnerved the savages that when he finally reached their village he found them more friendly than ever before.

The extreme hostility of the Cat Lake village, however, was traceable in a measure, Mr. Skinner thinks, to the resentment which the women of the settlement manifested toward him for taking photographs of them. They got the idea that a camera was a sort of X-ray apparatus.

The enemy of the men, however, soon manifested itself in a threatening form. Led by the chief medicine man of the tribe, the braves held a ward dance and finally a council, the chief medicine man presiding. At this Mr. Skinner was condemned to be shot. The explorer was then on the opposite side of Cat Lake, and later in the day, when he heard that some hostile move against him had been determined upon, though ignorant of the nature of it, he decided to visit the village to learn for himself what had to be done. His appearance was the signal for a war-whoop, and at once he saw that he had a slim chance to get away alive. But as the whole tribe had seen him it was too late to retrace his steps.

From his knowledge of the ways of the Ojibway, he divined that their plan was for the old medicine man, in whose power they had child-like faith, to throw a spell over him so that they could shoot him at leisure. For a moment the explorer had no idea how he was going to get out of the perilous situation. It did not matter that he was not armed, for one rifle against so many would have been nothing, and his wit, playing on their superstition, was his only hope. He had to act quickly, and he did. Walking up to the old medicine man, seated with his drum in his lap, he said, in the dialect of the natives: "I don't care anything about your old medicine, my medicine is stronger than yours." Then

NAVAL CONSTRUCTION

Chinese Commission is Now on a Visit to England.

London, Nov. 20.—The Chinese naval commission, headed by Prince T'ai Chun, brother of the regent, has arrived in England to study the question of naval construction with a view of modernizing the navy of China. Great importance is attached to the visit, and the progressive movement which it foreshadows, and full navy and military honors were accorded the commission upon their landing at Dover, where they were met by representatives of the foreign office and the admiralty. This party will be received by King Edward at Windsor.

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And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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 City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 16th, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

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(Signed) ALEX. SIMPSON.
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I, Charles J. McDonald, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Mayne Hotel, situated at Mayne, in the district of North Victoria, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

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FIRE BURNS UNDER A CITY.

When the Berkley mine broke out after the other day in Butte, Montana, sending five hundred men to the surface and suspending operations for a month in one of the biggest producers of the great mining camp on earth—the camp that gives to the world's market one-fourth of its copper production—the sight of the flames and smoke didn't cause as much as a ripple of excitement on the surface of the busy population at the foot of the hill, for Butte is accustomed to a mine fire that is perpetual and which burns, with intense heat in the ground under her feet.

It is a startling fact but none the less true that in the seventeen years past, thousands of men have been engaged in keeping in check the deadly fire in the Butte hill. It is a fight against a hidden foe. Except for brief intervals when the hot flames find an outlet, the fire is kept subdued by the smothering method, the theory being that it cannot spread without air on which to feed.

How it started and what keeps it alive is known to the copper miners of the northern Rockies, but the outside world has never been told, for the big companies controlling the mines have kept the talk of the wonderful "fire light down to a whisper." From "Stands Above Acres of Fire," in December Technical World Magazine.

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LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, E. Marshall, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as "The Gorge Hotel," situated at Tillikum road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) E. MARSHALL.
 Dated this 2nd day of November, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Charles J. McDonald, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Mayne Hotel, situated at Mayne, in the district of North Victoria, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) CHARLES J. McDONALD.
 Dated this 5th day of November, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Charles J. McDonald, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Mayne Hotel, situated at Mayne, in the district of North Victoria, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) CHARLES J. McDONALD.
 Dated this 5th day of November, 1909.

CIVIC NOTICE

The Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement, namely:

1. To construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of Work street from Bay street to Hillside avenue.
2. To construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of Rose street from King's road to Hillside avenue.
3. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Blanchard avenue from Bay street to King's road, and on the east side of Blanchard avenue from King's road to Hillside avenue.
4. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Maple street from Fort street to Pandora avenue.

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement, as above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
 C. M. C.
 City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 16th, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Alex Simpson, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Half-Way Hotel, situated at Esquimalt road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) ALEX. SIMPSON.
 Dated this 2nd day of November, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Hughie Simpson, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Coach and Horses Hotel, situated at Esquimalt road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) HUGHIE SIMPSON.
 Dated this 2nd day of November, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, John Southwell, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Oak Dell House Hotel, situated at Esquimalt road, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) JOHN SOUTHWELL.
 Dated this 2nd day of November, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

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(Signed) E. MARSHALL.
 Dated this 2nd day of November, 1909.

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(Signed) CHARLES J. McDONALD.
 Dated this 5th day of November, 1909.

CIVIC NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement, viz:

1. To drain, drain and rock surface Langford street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of same from Catherine street to the easterly line of Lot 1, Block 4, and to the easterly line of Lot 1, Block 2, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on both sides of Langford street from Catherine street to Russell street, also a permanent sidewalk with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on the south side of Langford street from Russell street to Front street.
2. To construct wooden block pavement placed on a concrete foundation on Yates street, from the east side of Douglas street to the west side of Blanchard avenue.
3. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Niagara street from Beacon Hill Park to South Turner street.
4. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Niagara street from Menzies street to Owego street.
5. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the south side of Niagara street from Menzies street to Boyd street.

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
 C. M. C.
 City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 16th, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Nancy Irving, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Goldstream Hotel, situated at Goldstream, in the district of Esquimalt, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1910.

(Signed) NANCY IRVING.
 Dated this 1st day of November, 1909.

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A man teacher for Victoria High School. Major subjects, English and Latin. Salary \$1,200 a year. Duties commence Jan. 15th, 1910. Apply before 2nd of Nov. to EDWARD PAUL, City Superintendent of Schools, Victoria, B. C.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909.

I, Josephine E. Wark, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Strathcona Hotel, situated at Shawanigan Lake, B. C.

(Signed) JOSEPHINE E. WARK.
 Dated this 18th day of November, 1909.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has deposited with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and Land Registry Office, Victoria, the map and description of proposed wharf site on Quinsigamond Sound, and making application therefor, said site described as follows: Commencing at a point at high water mark, said point being 2,100 feet south and 90 feet west from the northeast quarter of Section 35, Township 13, Rupert District, thence south fifty-three degrees west, a distance of 100 feet, thence southeasterly at right angles 100 feet, thence northeasterly at right angles a distance of 100 feet more or less to high water mark, and thence to point of commencement.

(Signed) B. W. LEISON,
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NOTED TENOR COMES TO VICTORIA TO-NIGHT

George Hamlin Will Appear Under Musical Society's Patronage.

To-night George Hamlin, appears at the Victoria theatre under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Society in the second of their grand concerts this season. A Portland exchange says of this great tenor:

"Love lyrics, as sung by George Hamlin, to the accompaniments of Edwin Schneider, are both song poems and poem songs. The famous tenor, who gave a recital at the Bungalow Theater last night, has a voice so sympathetic, so in harmony with the spirit of those who love the beautiful, that even when he had ceased to sing, one seemed to hear the last notes for some time afterward."

Mr. Hamlin captivated musical Portland two years ago, as did Mr. Schneider. The singer was greeted last night as a returning hero, and when the last number on the programme, Browning's "The Lamp of Love" was closed, the audience applauded until he returned, and for a farewell song Miss Margaret Lang's "The Day Is Gone." All the selections rendered were excellent, but some appealed to the hearers more than others. Three of the poems, all of which were sung in English, had to be repeated—Longfellow's "Hymn to the Night"; Elizabeth K. Reynolds' "Young Eyes"; and Robert Loveman's "Flower Rain." The last number is popular with vocalists appearing here, Mrs. Jones having given it in response to an encore in her recent concert. Both soprano and tenor toured the Pacific Northwest under the Lois Steers-Wynn Coman management.

There is no straining to understand the words of the songs Mr. Hamlin sings, if in English, all can understand; if in a foreign language, then those who know the tongue can tell the words, while others are sure that the enunciation is perfect. The first part of the programme consisted of Bononcini's "Den Piu a Me No V' Ascondete." Handel's "Where'er You Walk," and Corner's "Ein Froehliches Gesang"; the response was an old Irish folk song, "Over Here." In which is told the story of eating potatoes "coats and all—over here." The encore number that follows of Heinrich Hart's "Caecilia," arranged by Strauss, has a terrifying name, but is a beautiful song. "Heimlich Aufseherung," also by Strauss, Beech's "Years at the Spring" was another dainty after-song. "Weep No More," and "Hymn to the Night" were perhaps the most charming of the concert.

Mr. Schneider is, without doubt, the most masterly accompanist who has appeared at a Portland concert. Often-times, were one to close one's eyes, the listener would think that a harp was being played instead of the piano.

A MOTHER'S BREAKDOWN

Her Health so Shattered Her Children Were Taken From Her.

It is a sad story, one that is not often heard now-a-days that is told in the following letter by Mrs. Marion R. Charlotte, written last home in Pittsburg: "For about five years I suffered from a complication of disorders, the origin of which my doctor was unable to discover. It was undoubtedly owing to imperfect action of the liver and stomach. I am sure of this because there was a continual weight and painful fullness in my right side and scarcely anything I ate was digested. I also suffered agony with rheumatoids. A succession of sleepless nights, "cries" pains in my side and back, combined with the terrible state of my nerves made me wish for death.

"I could do no housework, my sisters took my small children and I despaired of ever getting on my feet again. "One memorable day a neighbor brought me a box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills which had cured her of troubles similar to mine. To my astonishment, I felt better next day. Gradually all my pains disappeared. I put on flesh, looked healthy, had lots of spirit and a desire to work. Dr. Hamilton's Pills cured me and I know they will work marvels for every woman that uses them."

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Widow THEATRE

Tuesday, November 23

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Monday, November 22

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Social and Personal

Miss O'Sullivan is on a visit to the Sound.

S. A. Porter is on a visit to Prince Rupert.

C. M. Foster sailed for the mainland last night.

H. Young is on a business trip to Vancouver.

Miss J. Moreton left yesterday for Richmond, Va.

Mrs. J. H. Brown is spending a few days in Seattle.

Mrs. C. W. Pineo will leave this evening for Alberni.

W. Henderson was a passenger for Seattle last night.

C. C. Worsfold crossed over to Vancouver last night.

Capt. Creighton went over to Vancouver last night.

W. G. Dennis will be among to-night's passengers for Prince Rupert.

The Misses Lindsay are leaving on a six months' visit to California.

C. McLean left on the Princess Charlotte last night for the mainland.

W. Burns, J. E. Miller and F. Davidson left for Vancouver last night.

R. H. Murphy will leave on the Princess Royal for Prince Rupert to-night.

Mrs. J. R. Nute and Miss Nute are leaving to-night on the Tees for Quatino.

Mr. and Mrs. Slocum left yesterday via the Northern Pacific for Detroit, Mich.

A. Brooksband is leaving this evening for Port Essington on the Princess Royal.

W. H. Gardiner sailed on the Princess Charlotte last night for the Terminal city.

Capt. and Mrs. J. Freeman were among yesterday's passengers for San Francisco.

W. J. Sutton, of this city, left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Chave and Mrs. Wolf were passengers for Vancouver last night on the Princess Charlotte.

Dr. H. B. Rogers, of Chemainus, yesterday left on a round-the-world trip. He will be gone about six months.

Mr. and Mrs. MacKay Smith, of Vancouver, are leaving on Saturday next on a three months' tour of Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Dancy left last night via the Northern Pacific for Butte, Mont., where they will in future reside.

Thos. Hill, a well-known Victorian, is leaving next Monday on a trip to Florida, where he will spend about six months.

Miss Ann Hale, who has been spending some time in this city, left yesterday on her return to her home in Lewiston, Mont.

Mrs. H. C. Brewster, Stanley avenue, gave a party last evening to a number of friends of her son Ray. It was given in honor of his birthday.

Among last night's passengers for Seattle were: H. Combe, McIver Campbell, J. A. Rithet, R. N. Hincks, C. M. Rogers, H. A. Bromley and A. P. Laxton, who are members of the Victor golf team, which is playing in Seattle to-day.

Mr. Green—Now, I'm going to tell you something, Ethel. Do you know that last night, at your party, your sister promised to marry me?—I hope you'll forgive me for asking her away?

Little Ethel—Forgive me, Mr. Green. Of course I will. Why, that's what the party was for—Ethel-Bits.

LITTLE REMINDERS.

Cleaning Fur.—Warm bran well rubbed into the fur with a piece of box muslin will clean your "fox" beautifully.

Cleaning White Felt Hats.—The cheapest way of cleaning a white felt hat is to rub prepared French chalk well into it, and then brush it off with a hard, clean, white-bristled brush. Black magnesia well rubbed in also cleans white felt successfully.

Cleaning a Child's White Coat.—If you are afraid of washing the coat, try rubbing out with equal parts of very dry cornflour and calcined magnesnia. Black magnesia well rubbed on and then brushed off with a stiff whisk will also clean effectively.

Removing the Smell of Paint.—The best thing that you can do to remove the smell of paint from the inside of your cupboard is to slice up a few strong onions, put into a bowl of cold water and stand it in the middle of the cupboard. This remedy will probably be too late to be of much use to you now, but you may have occasion to need it again later on.

Laying Carpets.—Have the floor washed with water to which a few drops of some carbolic disinfectant have been added at least two days before laying the carpets in your new house. Then when the floor is absolutely dry lay sheets of thick brown paper down and sprinkle plenty of insect powder about them. If the carpet is laid down after these simple precautions are taken moths will not attack it.

Whitening Piano Keys.—Mix together a quarter of an ounce of nitric acid and two and a half liquid ounces of distilled water. This mixture will be made up by any chemist for a few pence. Apply the solution with a soft brush, allow it to dry, and then wipe off with a flannel moistened in cold water. Care must be exercised that only a very little moisture is placed upon the key under treatment and that none of the liquid runs over the edge.

Brown Boot Polish.—Put a pint of turpentine into a gallon standing in a pan of hot water, add half a pound of shredded yellow wax and stir with a stick until dissolved. Dissolve half a pound of hard white soap in a pint of boiling water, amalgamate the two solutions while they are hot, straining thoroughly. Then add a teaspoonful of oxalic acid and enough liquid annatto to bring the polish to the desired shade.

Keeping Table Linen.—In keeping the table linen that is not in daily use many a housekeeper is annoyed to find it has yellowed badly and must be washed before it can go on the table again. This can be overcome if, after being laundered, the cloths and napkins are carefully wrapped in deep blue paper or in a sheet that has been heavily bleached.

Potato Water as Cleanser.—Potato water is a useful domestic cleaner for silks, woollen goods and carpets. To make it, allow two medium-sized potatoes to each pint of cold water. Peel the potatoes, grate them on a coarse grater, add the powder to the water, and stir it for several minutes. When the potato has settled to the bottom, strain off the water for use.

To Remove Smoke Stains.—Smoke stains on ceilings often show through a new coat of whitewash, but this is not the case if the ceiling is first washed, and then whitened with ordinary whitewash to which a pint of pearl-ash is allowed for each pail. Smoke stains on marble mantelpieces can be removed by spreading them overnight with a paste made by mixing pearl-ash and lemon juice, and scrubbing the marble next day with soap.

To Remove Smell.—To remove a smell from a sick room cover the patient's head with a warm shawl, set the windows wide open, and burn a sheet of brown paper or pour about a teaspoonful of vinegar on a red-hot shovel. The air of a sick room can be kept fairly fresh if saucers containing a solution of permanganate of potash in water are stood in various parts of the room. Some people regard this simple plan as a method of disinfecting a sick room, but it is impossible to disinfect a sick room while the patient lies in it, and all that can be done is to isolate the patient, and prevent anything from being taken out of the room unless it has been disinfected.

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HAMPTON'S FOR DECEMBER.

One of the most interesting articles in Hampton's Magazine for December is by the noted lecturer, Dr. Thomas E. Green. It is headed "Will Japan Become a Christian Nation?" There is an article by Judson C. Welliver on the "Sugar Trust" in which he shows how that trust was the parent of all great trusts in the United States. John L. Mathews continues his interesting account of the Pinchot-Ballinger controversy. In "The Bure of Gold" Eugene P. Lyle, Jr., contributes his first article of an important series on mining in the gold fields of the United States.

Rheta Childs Dorr has written for this number of Hampton's another article in her interesting series on "What Eight Million Women Want."

She shows the insistent demand by organized women for more humane treatment for women workers in shops and factories.

Although the December Hampton's is not of the conventional Christmas number type, nevertheless the holiday spirit is in evidence throughout its pages. There is an excellent Christmas story entitled "The Secret of Giving" by Parker H. Fillmore, which is beautifully illustrated in colors.

In "Masaki," a thrilling tale of the Solomon Islands, Jack London, contributes one of the best stories he has written in years. "The Winning Number," by Percival Gibbon, is a tale of South Africa written in this author's most fascinating style. Edwin Balmer and William B. McHarg have contributed one of the most entertaining of their series of Luther Trans psychological detective stories. There are other notable fiction articles by Harris Morton Lyon, Richard Barker Shelton, Winold Godfrey and J. H. Adams.

THE DECEMBER OUTING.

The big feature in the December number of the Outing Magazine is Harry Whitney's "Hunting in the Arctic" with which the magazine opens. The article is illustrated with no less than twenty-two photographs taken by Mr. Whitney and the whole display is one of the most remarkable that has ever been brought back from the Arctic.

Other articles of importance are Walter Camp's "Great Teams of the Past," a chronicle of the careers and accomplishments of the football teams that have made history; "Our Lady of the Lakes," by A. W. Dimock, a story of a canoeing trip in the wilds of Canada, fully illustrated with photographs by Julian A. Dimock, the other half of the Dimock partnership; "Mafia," a Land of Yesterdays, by Albert Bigelow Payne; "Skating the Sport that Made a Nation," by Charles F. Peters; "Buying an Automobile," which contains a lot of information that prospective motor-car buyers should possess; "Winter Care of Fishing Tackle," a timely article for devotees of the rod and reel, and a description of the great "Routes to the North Pole," by Robert E. Peary.

The whole number is admirably timed to catch the interest and interests of sportsmen and lovers of the out of doors at this season of the year.

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THE REVOLUTION IN GREECE BLOODLESS CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT

How the Military and Naval Leaders Are Struggling for the Mastery.

(Times Cable Letter.)
Paris, Nov. 20.—There are several European countries with just as pronounced revolutionary tendencies as those in Greece at the present time, but there is not another one in which the movement has assumed so snappy and uninterruptedly interesting a form as that in the Hellenic kingdom.

If the revolutionists were as constantly "up and doing" in France or Spain or Portugal as they are in Greece, the whole world would be buzzing with news of their activities. Greece, however, is so little and unimportant a country that no one pays much attention to anything except the most exceptionally violent of its political explosions.

Throughout the rest of Europe the republican element's progress is gradual. Before it manifests itself at any specific point there must be a long period of plotting, during which, so far as outsiders are concerned, everything seems perfectly quiet. Finally this period of conspiring and secret conferences culminates in some sort of an outbreak which makes real news for a time. Ultimately the outbreak is suppressed and there is more seeming quietness, another outbreak, more quietness and so on.

In Greece the thing is a continuous performance. The revolutionists have been in control of the government for several months, and in all that time there hasn't been a day without some development which would have been of capital importance if it happened in any place concerning which there is any general outside interest.

But in Greece—oh, well, who cares? For all that the Greek situation, if not important, is at least as picturesque as anyone could ask.

How Turkey Won.
The whole thing started with the island of Crete's attempt to secede from Turkey and join Greece soon after Abdul Hamid revived the Turkish constitution, something over a year ago now.

Twelve years ago, following the war in which Turkey whipped the Greeks and undertook to make Crete its very own, four of the bigger powers—England, France, Russia and Italy—interested and told the Sultan he could have only a nominal sovereignty over the island. They sent troops of their own to the principal port to see that Abdul did not overstep this arrangement, and from that time forward, until last July, the Creteans practically governed themselves under the four powers' protection, but nominally as a Turkish possession.

This never satisfied the Creteans very well, nine-tenths of them being of Greek extraction and Christian faith, but they submitted and everything went so well that, a little while before the Turkish constitution was restored, Abdul Hamid announced their intention of withdrawing their military forces from the island in July of this year, and leaving matters to go on just as they were.

Then came the Turkish revolution. Abdul Hamid, though not yet deposed, was deprived of all real power, and the Young Turks assumed the management of the Constantinople government.

The Austrian grab of the Turkish provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina came directly afterward. Albania threatened to secede, there was trouble in Asia Minor, the Turkish central administration was disorganized. Abdul Hamid was known to be plotting to recover his former authority, and everything governmental in Constantinople, in short was in a condition of such confusion that the Creteans thought it a good time to cut loose altogether from Ottoman domination

and declare themselves Greeks again. The insular assembly did just this: Greece was anxious to receive them, and to Turkey, which had really never exercised any genuine control over them, it did not seem as if that change would make much difference. The Young Turks, however, declared the island's secession a direct thrust at them. They cared little for Crete, they admitted, but they were of the opinion that another even nominal loss would be too serious a blow to their prestige to be endured.

They lacked a navy to carry war into Crete, but plans were made for invading Greece unless the Athens government disavowed responsibility for the Creteans' action. The Athens government had to submit.

When the time came for the four protecting powers to evacuate the island the Creteans, nevertheless, insisted on hoisting the Greek flag. The powers objected to hostilities between Turkey and Greece, because trouble in the Balkans is always likely to involve the rest of Europe, so they shot the flag down and insisted that Turkey retain its nominal sovereignty.

Turkey had carried its point. The Military League.

Obviously, Greece's position was very humiliating. Greece is a smaller, poorer, weaker country than Turkey, and there was probably no way in which anyone could have avoided this humiliation. The Greeks wanted to blame someone, however, and chose King George, the Danish prince, whom they themselves chose for their monarch some four decades ago, as the scapegoat.

Had King George done his duty in the way of reorganizing the army and strengthening the navy after the war with Turkey, it was argued, he would have been able to have defied the Sultan and taken Crete under the Hellenic wing.

A secret society of army officers, known as the Military League, sprang into existence and demanded, first of everything, the deposition of his Majesty's sons, the Crown Prince among them, from their army commands. When the King objected to being dictated to by the Athens garrison, the soldiers marched out of their barracks in the city, outside and announced it would serve no longer until the league's demands were complied with.

The troops would undoubtedly have resorted to force, but that the King yielded, to the extent of sending his sons out of the country on indefinite leave of absence from their military duties. The outbreak forced the resignation of Premier Rhalys, and Premier Mavromichaelis, a more plastic man, succeeded him.

Then the national assembly was called together, the King thinking that the law makers would uphold him and that the soldiers would submit rather than set the entire machinery of constitutional government at naught. He was mistaken. The league proceeded to dictate to the assembly, and every time the law makers balked the army leaders threatened to dissolve the body forcibly and declare a dictatorship.

Arrangements to take this step were once actually completed, because a few of the legislators demurred at a demand that the princes be legally debarred from the right to serve in the army. The assembly only saved itself by surrendering a few hours in advance of the time revolution for the actual one had already occurred, control of the country's affairs having really passed from the King and assembly to the unofficial and irresponsible Military League.

Tyralos' Grotesque Revolution.

Not long after the Military League completed its task of reducing the King's authority to zero, in "firing" his sons from the army as unceremoniously as a 10-a-week clerk was ever dismissed from employment, and in turning the national assembly into a mere mouthpiece for the issuance of its orders, came Naval Lieutenant Tyralos' attempt to furnish another revolution.

Tyralos, speaking for the navy, argued that the Military League was turning the country bottom upwards in its efforts for army reform, and paying no attention to the crying needs of the naval service. Originally he contented himself with demanding that he be made minister of marine that he might be in a position to look after these reforms himself.

Now the truth is that Tyralos expressed the navy's thoughts and wishes with perfect accuracy—that is to say, the naval officers were jealous of the position of dominance to which the army officers had raised themselves. Where he made his mistake was in assuming that the former would follow his lead.

Finding that no attention was paid to him he prevailed on the crews of the torpedo boat flotilla, which he commanded, to mutiny, seized the Salamis arsenal as his base of operations and announced that, having failed to be made minister of marine, he was going to make himself dictator.

It was a queer kind of a revolt. Tyralos had announced in advance just what he was going to do; yet the leaders of the Military League did not even trouble to warn the Commandant of the Salamis arsenal to look out for an attack, and had to be routed out of bed themselves well off in the forenoon of the day on which they had been told the mutiny was to occur. Tyralos and his 300 followers were almost equally leisurely in carrying out their plans. Had they made a night descent upon the arsenal, they might have had time to have entrenched themselves sufficiently to have put up at least a respectable resistance. They could not bring themselves to get up before 8 o'clock in the morning, however, and consequently, when they got really to work, lacked the time to fortify their position.

The rest of the navy naturally preferred fighting on the side of the Military League to joining so inefficient a commander, and the result was that Tyralos was simply overpowered by forces of numbers.

The Aftermath.
This little "fyer" by Lieutenant Tyralos is practically the only detail of the Greek revolution which has attracted any attention. As a matter of fact it was one of the most trifling of these details. Tyralos accomplished nothing. The Military League had already changed the form of the government before he mutinied.

The revolution has been in progress

for weeks and weeks, and nobody has noticed it. It has done its work bloodlessly, but even a bloodless revolution would have stirred the entire world had it happened in England, for instance. What happens in Greece simply doesn't make any difference unless there is more about it.

There may be more about the Greek revolution, yet, however, King George will certainly abdicate before long. His position is too embarrassing to be endured indefinitely. When he quits the throne, there is every prospect that the Military League's leaders will get to fighting over the question of the succession. This will not exactly be a part of the revolution—it will be a struggle to see who will profit by it. But it will probably be considerably better advertised than the revolution has been.

WAS GREAT CRIMINOLOGIST

VARIED CAREER OF PROFESSOR LOMBROSO

Became Profound Believer in Spiritualism Towards End of Life.

Professor Cesare Lombroso, who died suddenly at Turin, enjoyed the proud distinction of having initiated for mental science the great reform that Lavoisier initiated for the physical sciences; he was the first to introduce the principle of exact measurement into psychological phenomena, and was able to build up a series of far-reaching conclusions—by no means universally accepted, however—on the criminal aspect of psychology. He has secured a permanent place in the records of science by his contention that crime is in the nature of a disease, and that the classification of criminals is essential to ensure that the born criminal should secure a type of treatment different from that which should be meted out to the man who has been drawn into crime by the force of circumstances.

Lombroso was an Italian, but of Jewish origin. He was born in Venice in 1836 and at an early age he betrayed unmistakable signs of extreme mental activity. At eleven he was a novelist, poet, and tragedian, and met with a fair measure of success. At twelve he turned archaeologist, at thirteen he studied sociology, natural science then occupied his attention, and at the age of twenty-three—after having acquired with criminology while a student at the University of Turin—he entered the army as a surgeon. Even this extraordinary activity, however, had not fully occupied his attention, for at the time when he was busy with archaeology he learned Chinese, Chaldee, and Hebrew.

It was by his work in the department of Public Health that Lombroso first deserved well of his country. Lunacy was rampant in the northern parts of Italy, due to the disease known as the "pellagra," and by a series of experiments Lombroso showed that it was caused by the eating of diseased maize by the peasants. When once his experiments were conclusive Lombroso followed the classic examples of Lavoisier and Pasteur. Just as the former phlebotomized and harangued to insist that in the interest of agriculture and commerce Germany should take up the serious study of chemistry, and as the latter agitated on the most varied subjects, so Lombroso set himself to work to abolish the abuse that was devastating his country. He lectured incessantly, he printed and distributed pamphlets, he besieged the doors of the government and suffered persecution, but after ten years of unceasing effort he saw introduced the legislation he had advocated.

The years thus spent had not been in vain. While carrying on his agitation he had been studying various aspects of insanity. In 1862 he had been placed in charge of a department for the insane at the University of Pavia, and there initiated a system of exact measurement. He was said by scoffers "to be studying insanity with a foot-rule." Persecution drove him from Pavia, and he became director of the asylum at Pesaro, where he created for himself a mass of valuable material by establishing a newspaper written and managed by the insane. Meanwhile, he was slowly focusing his general knowledge of insanity on to study of the criminal. He has himself described the incident which led him definitely to take up his life work.

The following are his own words: "One evening there died in one of the prisons of the city a celebrated brigand, robber, and incendiary, who had often escaped by means of his great agility. Upon the death of this man, who was a true type of the born criminal, I examined his skull. It presented an enormous median occipital fossa in place of the occipital spine, which occurs in the interior of the skull. I made the autopsy in the yard of the prison in the early hours of the morning, and the whole idea of my future work rose before me like a picture. I instantly perceived that the criminal must be a survival of the primitive man and the carnivorous animals."

World's Prison Systems.
After twenty years of consideration—a remarkable instance of patience in one who had published novels, poems, and tragedies at eleven—Lombroso issued his "L'Uomo, Delinquente," and attacked on rational as opposed to sentimental grounds the prison system of the world. The work had profound influence, stimulating others to observe the criminal closely, and leading in many prisons and asylums on the continent to complete reform. Lombroso's brilliant researches and fertile suggestions were fiercely attacked, and as a result of the controversies that raged the whole subject of crime and the criminal had been studied with exactitude. The extent of his sweeping generalizations has resulted in much of his work being disputed and overthrown, and there are few who would



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accept the full teaching of his creed that the criminal is a special type of the human race standing midway between the lunatic and the savage. Had the statement been more carefully qualified it would have won wider acceptance. There is more to be said for the generalization based on exact figures that the criminal population shows a larger proportion of physical nervous wrecks, and anomalies than the non-criminal, but the issuing theory that the anomalies are due partly to degeneration and partly to atavism is a statement requiring further confirmation and elucidation before it can be usefully applied.

In his treatment of Shakespeare's paradox of the relation between genius and madness Lombroso was less successful than in his work on lunacy and crime. He failed to substantiate the generalization that genius was a morbid degenerative condition by any satisfactory biological evidence, and his views in this connection were unduly influenced by the general philosophic teaching of Auguste Comte.

Belief in Spiritualism.
Towards the end of his life he experienced a sudden reaction against Comtism, and became a profound believer in spiritualism, publishing in 1908 a volume on the subject. It is a matter of somewhat pathetic interest that a translation of this work was published in England on the day before his death. Several quotations might be

given from this volume to show the character of the great Italian criminologist who has just passed away; but the following must suffice:

"I thought it," he writes, "my duty to crown a life passed in the struggle for great ideas by entering the lists for this desperate cause, the most hotly contested, and perhaps most consistently mocked at idea of the times. It seemed to me a duty that, up to the very last of the few days now remaining to me, I should unflinchingly stand my ground in the very thick of the fight, where rise the most menacing obstructions, and where through the most infernal fogs, . . . In psychological matters we are very far from having attained scientific certainty. But the spiritualistic hypothesis seems to me like a continent incompletely submerged by the ocean, in which are visible in the distance broad islands raised above the general level, and which only in the vision of the man of science are seen to coalesce in one immense and compact body of land, while the shallow mob laughs at the seemingly audacious hypothesis of the geographer."

It was by the strange contrasts in his disposition that Lombroso appealed specially to the public. Childish ingenueness was the basis of his character, and yet he spent his life among the most brutish and degraded of mankind. He probed the depths of human ferocity and took a passionate delight in watching fireworks. He was a fine analytical thinker, but when well ad-

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vanced in years would scamper about the fields like school boy. He fought for the cause of justice with all the fierce self-forgetfulness that characterized Voltaire, and he devoted endless patience in trying to demonstrate that Dante was extortionate and that Galileo riched the secret discoverer of his pupils. Professionally, his life was devoted to the earlier aspects of hu-



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ANGLICAN.

St. Barnabas.—The many friends of Rev. E. G. Miller, rector of St. Barnabas, will rejoice that he has so far recovered from his recent sickness as to be able to take the services tomorrow. Mr. Miller is now resuming all the duties pertaining to his position and is fast returning to his usual health and strength.

Sale of Work.—The working societies of St. Barnabas church, the Ladies Aid, the St. Barnabas Guild, and the Sewing Workers, will hold their annual sale of work next Tuesday and Wednesday in the school room. The sale will be opened on Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m., and will continue through the evening and also on Wednesday afternoon and evening. Every preparation has been made to ensure the success of the event and an abundance of useful and fancy articles will be displayed for sale. Most interesting musical programmes will be given during the evenings of the sale and a good time is assured to all patrons.

St. Saviour's.

Missionary Meeting.—A most interesting and enthusiastic missionary meeting was held on Thursday evening last under the auspices of the Ladies' Missionary Society and the Women's Auxiliary. The Rev. H. A. Colwell delivered an address telling of the wonderful work accomplished among the Indians of northern British Columbia. Beaumont Boggs occupied the chair and there was a very large number present.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord.

Missionary Post Cards.—Mr. Gladstone has secured some very interesting colored post cards illustrating missionary work in India, Burma and other Eastern lands. The cards are prepared from photographs secured by Rev. J. Gregory Mantle, of London, Eng., during a recent trip through mission lands. These cards make missionary life seem very real as they are colored true to life and are real scenes depicted by the camera. Mr. Mantle is the editor of the Illustrated Missionary News, and the photos have been reproduced in that paper.

Young People's Association.—There will be a meeting of the Young People's Association on Monday evening next, and members are reminded of this fact as owing to the missionary banquet there was no meeting last Monday.

Laymen's Missionary Society.—There will be a congregational meeting to discuss organization along the lines suggested by the movement. R. S. Day and A. T. Frampton will lead the discussion. At a regular church meeting the movement has been endorsed and the meeting on Tuesday evening is to bring the church up to its highest efficiency in the carrying out of missionary work and missionary giving.

Sunday Services.—The rector, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, will preach on Sunday morning on the subject, "The Servant of God in the Political Arena." In the evening the subject will be, "They That Feared the Lord Speak Often One to Another."

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. Andrew's.

Men's Bible Class.—The organization of the Men's Bible class is now complete and the following are the officers: President, Geo. H. Robertson; vice-president, D. D. Muir; secretary, Geo. Brown; treasurer, C. C. Michener. The first meeting of the class for regular Bible study will be held to-morrow morning at 12:15, after the close of the regular church service. W. W. Duncan will be organist of the class and it is expected that there will be a large number join. Already there are prospects of a most successful class, both as regards numbers and interest.

Sunday Services.—The pastor, Rev. W. L. Clay, will preach to-morrow morning and the superintendent of missions, Rev. G. A. Wilson, will occupy the pulpit at night.

Young People's Society.—Next Monday will be literary night at the Young People's Society, and an interesting evening is expected. A lecture will be delivered on "Assyria," which promises to have many educational and entertaining features.

St. Paul's.

Local Option.—To-morrow evening the Rev. D. MacRae will deliver an address on the plebiscite which is to take place at the time of the provincial elections, and the reasons why the ballots should be marked "Yes."

Young People's Society.—A very enjoyable social evening was spent last night at the home of Mrs. D. Stewart, Andrew street, by the members of St. Paul's Christian Endeavor Society.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan.

Young Women's Club.—A very interesting meeting of the Young Women's Club was held last Wednesday evening when Miss Mills, of the city school staff, gave an address on "The Old Masters." The members of the club were very pleased with the address and a vote of thanks was accorded to Miss Mills. Miss Palmer sang two solos during the evening. There was a good attendance of members. The club will meet for the present without any definite programme, but each one will bring their sewing with them and as they work, selections will be read from Tennyson's "Idylls of the King."

Spring Ridge.—The sale of work under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Spring Ridge church held last Thursday was most successful. In spite of the unfavorable weather there was a large attendance and the ladies had the satisfaction of disposing of all the articles they had for sale. In the evening a very interesting programme was rendered and the free will offering was large. The sum netted for the funds of the society will be a handsome one. This was the final effort of the society, and the members are greatly

delighted with the success attending their venture.

Lecture at Spring Ridge.—Next Tuesday evening the Rev. T. E. Holling will deliver a lecture on "Jean of Arc" under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society. There will be no admission fee, but a collection will be taken on behalf of the funds of the society.

Metropolitan Guild.—The Ladies' Guild will hold their annual sale of work next Wednesday afternoon and evening in the school room. The doors will be opened at 3 p. m., and the display of fancy and useful articles promises to be a splendid one. Afternoon tea will be served by two of the young ladies classes of the Sunday school rejoicing in the names of "Busy Bees" and "Daffodils." In the evening a musical programme will be rendered. The president, Mrs. Jenkins, and the secretary, Mrs. Whittier, will be glad to receive donations for the work table from any who may be disposed to assist. The affair promises to be of more than the usual success.

Woman's Missionary Society.—Last Monday afternoon the Metropolitan auxiliary met in the school room when Mrs. Snyder gave an interesting address upon the work among the Orientals of the city. The Sherwood auxiliary, Oak Bay, held their monthly meeting on Tuesday afternoon with a large attendance of members. The ladies brought a box of baked goods with sufficient cake, etc., for two, and these boxes were disposed of by auction, the young man securing the box being partner with the young lady who prepared it for the evening. The funds raised were for the class' second payment to the Y. M. C. A. building fund. The class is increasing in attendance and interest. The questions found each week in the Times church page have been used with good effect in stirring up discussion and getting the young people to take some active part in the lesson.

Men's Club.—The Metropolitan Men's Club have arranged for a scientific lecture to be given by Rev. Dr. Sippell, of Columbia College, on Monday, December 13th. The subject of the lecture will be "Sight and Sight-Sensations," and the lecture will be illustrated by lantern views.

College Day.—Sunday, December 12th will be Columbia College day in Metropolitan church, and the principal, Rev. Dr. Sippell, will be the preacher for the day.

Centennial.

Men's Bible Class.—The members of the Men's Bible class have arranged for a debate on the subject, "Resolved, that peace is better maintained by disbanding than by armament." The affirmative will be taken by Messrs. Thomas, Gillingham and Alton, and the negative by Messrs. Grist, Hadland and Lowe. The debate will be held on the regular social night of the Young People's Society, the members of that society are to provide refreshments at the close. The public are cordially invited to attend. The Bible class now number 46 and is steadily growing. A week from Sunday the members of the class will attend the meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist class, Spring Ridge.

James Bay.

Ladies' Bible Class.—The members of the Ladies' Bible class held a very enjoyable social evening last Tuesday. There was a good attendance.

Victoria West.—The members of the Junior Bible class held a very enjoyable oyster supper in their class room last Tuesday evening. Every member of the class was present and the evening was spent very pleasantly in games, etc.

Local Option Sunday.—To-morrow will be Local Option day in the Victoria West Methodist church. In the morning the Rev. H. A. Carson, of the Congregational church, will preach, and in the evening Mr. R. M. Fullerton, who has had much experience in local option campaigns in Ontario, will give an address on the subject. The pastor, Rev. A. E. Roberts, will explain the present situation in British Columbia at the evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Fest Church.

Social Gathering.—Next Monday evening the members of the Young People's Society are holding a joint social with the Intermediate and Junior Christian Endeavor Societies. The social will commence at 7 p. m. in order to allow the younger members to reach home soon after 9 o'clock. The evening will be spent in games, etc., and there will be a short impromptu programme.

Men's Own.—The Men's Own Social Club are arranging for a debate for their regular meeting on Tuesday next. The affair promises to be most interesting.

Local Option.—To-morrow, in common with the other churches of the city, the Congregational church will have the subject of the local option plebiscite brought before it. In the morning the Rev. A. E. Roberts, of Victoria West, will give an address on the subject, and in the evening the pastor, Rev. H. A. Carson, will follow up his remarks of last Sunday dealing with the importance of the matter.

have other numbers than those on the programme. The singing of Mrs. D. C. Reid was also greatly enjoyed and every number on the programme received very hearty applause. The programme follows: Overture, "Wie es Weint und Lacht"; "Plover's March"; Mrs. D. C. Reid; violin solo, "Romance," opus 40, Louis Turner; song, "Bedouin Love Song," Frederick Waddington; piano solo (a) "In an Old-Fashioned Garden," (b) "Sea Fleets," opus 55, Miss Cochrane; song, "Serenade," Mrs. D. C. Reid; song, (a) "I'll Sing These Songs of Araby," (b) "The Booming Eyes," (c) "The Sweetest Flower That Grows," Frederick Waddington; orchestra, "Spanish Bolero," Plover's March; Mandolin Orchestra. Miss Cochrane presided at the piano.

BAPTIST.

First Church.

Union Teachers' Meeting.—Last Wednesday evening the teachers and benefactors of the Sunday schools in connection with the First church, held a very enjoyable gathering. During the evening papers were read by R. Hays of Victoria West mission, on "The Worker's Privilege," and W. Huesel of Burnside mission, on the advantage of union meetings. Rev. C. Speller addressed the teachers and pleaded for more earnestness and greater expectations from the teachers in their class work. Musical numbers were contributed by the Misses Middleton, Few and Freeman. J. W. King, B.A., acceptably filled the position as chairman. At the conclusion of the meeting dainty refreshments were dispensed by the members of the First church Sunday school. It was decided that these meetings be held quarterly. The superintendents being appointed as a programme committee.

Philadelphians.—Last Sunday afternoon the ladies of the Philadelphia class celebrated their first anniversary. The members of the Men's Reserve class joined with them and a very interesting and profitable session was held. Reports were read showing progress and addresses were given by the pastor and other leaders.

B. Y. P. U.—The social committee are arranging for a flower social to be held on the evening of Monday the 22nd inst., and the young people are looking forward with anticipations for a good time.

Church Services.—The special sermons being delivered by the acting pastor, Rev. H. C. Speller, of Moose Jaw, are proving keenly interesting and instructive to the large congregations present each Sunday. To-morrow evening the subject will be "Forgiveness," and the concluding prayer next Lord's day will be on the Atonement.

WOMEN PREACHERS BECOMING POPULAR

Many Fill Important Missions in Pulpits and as Workers.

A few years ago lady preachers in the United States were counted up to 2,000; to-day the clerical army of women numbers little short of 5,000. Of course, not all these good ladies are seen or heard in the pulpit; many do excellent work as home missionaries, in settlements and in other fields suited to their capacity; but the majority of them are preachers of considerable gifts, wielding power which their masculine rivals may well envy.

Not very long ago the writer listened to the doyen of lady preachers, the Rev. Anna Shaw—a lady who, if she had been a man, might have been a bishop, says "Tit-Bits." A face strong with purpose and intellect, yet full of human kindness, the mobile lips of the "born orator," eyes full of magnetism, now flashing with indignation, now melting with a tender compassion; a broad and high forehead, eloquent of mental power, surrounded with an aureole of silver hair—such was the picture Miss Shaw presented in the pulpit to a crowded congregation which hung on her words. Her sermon was a masterpiece of reason and argument, illuminated by a rare eloquence and touched with dry humor, which held the attention riveted to the last word.

Miss Shaw is English, pure-blooded; though fate has cast her splendid activities in America. Thirty years ago she completed her theological training by graduating Bachelor of Divinity at Boston, and she was soon doing splendid work among the outcast women in the "Hill of the Unfortunates." In recent years Miss Shaw's energies have been diverted into work for temperance and for the political emancipation of her sex; but for thirty years her zeal has never relaxed a jot, and her gifted tongue has moved the hearts of millions, from Washington to New York.

America has taken from another very able lady preacher—the Rev. Gertrude Von Petzold, who for some time was a Unitarian minister at Leicester. Miss Petzold, who is a woman of remarkable gifts and personal influence, was the first of her sex in England to receive a theological training and to become pastor of a church.

Two of these pioneer ladies the writer has heard—one at Cardiff and the other in Sussex. It was as a member of Dr. Horton's congregation at Hampstead that Miss L. C. R. Smith was first fired with the ambition to preach. Two years she spent at Glasgow studying theology, and then she embarked on her wanderings in the West Indies and Scotland thousands fell under her spell. In her wanderings she went to Cardiff to conduct an eight weeks' mission; and so deep was the impression she created there that the members of the Hannah Street Congregational church invited her to become their pastor, for, whether in the pulpit or in any of the many phases of the church's work, she has proved herself, young as she is, an ideal pastor of a flock.

Miss Smith has a formidable rival in Miss Harriet Baker, whose work so far has lain in a rural village, Horsted Keynes, and in Brighton. Two years ago, thanks to the generosity of a local lady and her friends, Horsted Keynes was presented with a fine hall and lecture, designed, in addition to supplying the wants of the village, from a library to a kitchen for cookery lessons, to serve as a Congregational church.

Sunday School Lesson

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November 25th, 1909.

Paul on Self Denial. (World's Temperance Lesson.) Rom. xiv:10-21. Golden Text—It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor anything whereby thy brother stumbleth. Rom. xiv:21.

Verses 10-13—Is the Bible a book of rules in any sense, or is it a book of principles only?

Principles never change, but may a good rule under one condition become a bad one under another? Give examples.

There was a controversy in the church at Rome between the Gentile and the Jewish believers about meats and days; but in the eyes of God was it in any sense a moral issue, as to which were right, those who observed certain days and refrained from certain kinds of meat, or those who esteemed all days alike and ate all kinds of meat fit for food?

Did one Christian in Rome have any right to impute sin to another Christian, who believed and acted differently in the matter of meats and days, to what the objector's conscience would allow him to act?

Does this commandment not to judge, forbid us forming an opinion concerning any doubtful action of our brother; and if not what does it forbid?

To-day one party in the church thinks that renting pews is wrong, another that any kind of games in the church parlors are wrong, while others think quite the opposite on these matters; now has either party the right to "judge" the other party to be guilty of moral wrong?

What should be both the constraining and the restraining influence with us, in all matters of conduct? (v. 13.)

Verses 14—Does God morally estimate actions in themselves or the motives which prompt the actions?

Give an example of how it is possible that one man may do a thing and please God, while another may do the same thing and commit sin.

How many outward actions can you think of that are always wrong under all circumstances?

Verses 15, 16—If your neighbor is very ill and your singing and piano playing hurts him, and you refuse to deny yourself the pleasure of singing and playing, what kind of a person are you?

If you enjoy and drink your glass of wine, when you know wine drinking is doing vastly more harm than good, what sort of a person are you?

To what extent should I deny myself any pleasure the gratification of which hurts my neighbor?

No sensible parent will allow anything in his family, however good it may be in itself, if it proves to be injurious to the children, should he or not, apply the same principle to his neighbors?

Verses 17—Should our chief thought be given to the needs of the body or of the soul?

What does the Kingdom of God pre-eminently stand for?

What, in the last analysis, is the real wealth of the individual, the family, the community and the nation?

Can the highest good be enjoyed if the Holy Spirit is not recognized as its source?

Verses 18-20—What do we need to be, in order to be pleasing to God and to good men?

VERSE 21—IF WE DENY OURSELVES THINGS WE ENJOY, FOR THE SAKE OF OTHERS, WHAT IS THE EFFECT UPON OURSELVES, AND DO WE GET AS MUCH, OR MORE, OUT OF THE SELF DENIAL AS WE WOULD OUT OF SELF GRATIFICATION (THIS QUESTION MUST BE ANSWERED IN WRITING BY MEMBERS OF THE CLUB.)

"If all who drink wine, in moderation, would obey the principles of self denial in this verse, how long would it be before we should have total prohibition of the liquor traffic?"

Lesson for Sunday, December 5th, 1909. Preach on the Grace of Giving, II. Cor. viii:1-15.

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Appropos of the prospects of Christian missions in the Christian lands, it is predicted that Korea will be the first nation in modern times to be Christianized, if the church will take advantage of the opportunity. Already Protestant missions in Korea report 85,000 communicants and catechumens.

Often the experience of the society's agents are terrible. Last year colorists were arrested as spies in Nicaragua, robbed and reviled in Burma, bitterly mocked by social democrats in Germany, driven out of the villages in Peru by priests who burnt their books, stoned in remote corners of the Philippines, beaten by Moslems in Baluchistan. In the awful earthquake at Messina a colorist with his wife and children escaped—wounded, wounded, half naked, penniless, but saved. Yes in spite of sorrows and hardships and dangers, these Bible-sellers find compensations and encouragements of their own, and the encouragements outweigh the hardships.

A good story is told by a French colorist, who, when sitting at dinner in an inn, heard the question of "miracles" discussed, and the case of Balaam's ass quoted as an insuperable difficulty. The colorist's wit did not desert him. "And yet," he said, "why can you not believe that an ass has spoken like a man, when we so often see men who speak like asses?"

A sidelight on the mode of life of a Mongolian prince is given by the report of a sub-agent, who writes: "The prince is wealthy and loves good things though he makes little display. He has big Russian horses and American carriages, and all kinds of guns and expensive foreign hunting dogs, for he is a great hunter and lives in the mountain forests half the time. He received me very kindly, and himself brought me back to Urga in an American carriage—the most comfortable journey I have ever made in Mongolia. A lot of the country is cultivated, but nobody is allowed to work on the land except his own Mongols, who make very good farmers."

SALVATION ARMY'S SETTLEMENT SCHEMES

Colonel Lamb on Return to London Tells of Plans for Canada.

The Salvation Army recently received a gift of 2,000 acres of land from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and Colonel Lamb was sent out by General Booth to investigate its possibilities for colonization by specially selected emigrants under the direction of the emigration department.

Interviewed by a London Daily News representative, Colonel Lamb, who returned from Canada last Thursday with his report for the General, said: "My report will be distinctly favorable to Calgary as a centre for colonization, especially from the point of view of the people we shall send out. Although the company placed at our disposal 3,000 acres, we wanted more, but the demand for land is greater than the supply, and we had to be content with what they offered. The land is now being divided into farms of 80 acres each, wells are being sunk for water supply, and huts erected for the accommodation of the settlers as they arrive."

Asked as to the financing of the scheme, Colonel Lamb replied: "It is purely a business arrangement on the part of the C.P.R. company. You see, they have the men and the desire to help, they have the land and the money. The point is how to bring the two into conjunction. The company have met us handsomely, and though there is no philanthropy in their action, for the increase of trade will bring them a better revenue, we supply the philanthropy and they supply the cash."

"The applicants will be married, and those with families will have first consideration, because they form the chief problem in the social difficulties in this country. Then the candidates must have some knowledge of agriculture, or at least an aptitude will be taken into consideration in all cases."

"Will the settlers have fifty of ten?"

"That depends on their ability to make the best use of their new opportunities," replied the Colonel. "They will have eighteen months in which to show their aptitude for farming; and if at the end of that time they show capacity a certificate of proprietorship will be given to them, and the payment of their farms will be arranged on easy terms, the payment to be either in cash by instalments or a certain percentage of the produce."

Colonel Lamb is full of confidence in the future of the Dominion as a field for British enterprise.

"We have sent out 50,000 emigrants during the last few years," he said, "and the reports from our divisional officers show that the great majority of them are doing well."

The Salvation Army is also working out the details of another colonization scheme in the timber lands of Vancouver Island. Here, instead of the railway company putting up capital, they propose to offer men work for 12 months at the current rate of wages, cutting timber and sawing logs and helping to lay down the permanent way of the new railway. The men will be supplied with holdings and allotments, which will cultivate in their own time, and when the railway is complete they will remain in permanent possession of their holdings.

A series of special evangelistic meetings will be held each Sunday night, commencing at 7.30 p.m., in the Grand Theatre, conducted by the Salvation Army. Staff Capt. Wakefield, of Vancouver, will have charge of and will speak at the first of these to-morrow night. Special song sheets will be provided. There will be good singing and music and all are asked to come and bring their friends. On Monday night in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad street, at 8 p.m., Colonel Southall, of Toronto, will give his thrilling lecture, "On the Thames Embankment at Midnight." Major Morris, of Vancouver, will accompany the colonel. Dr. Ernest Hall will preside.



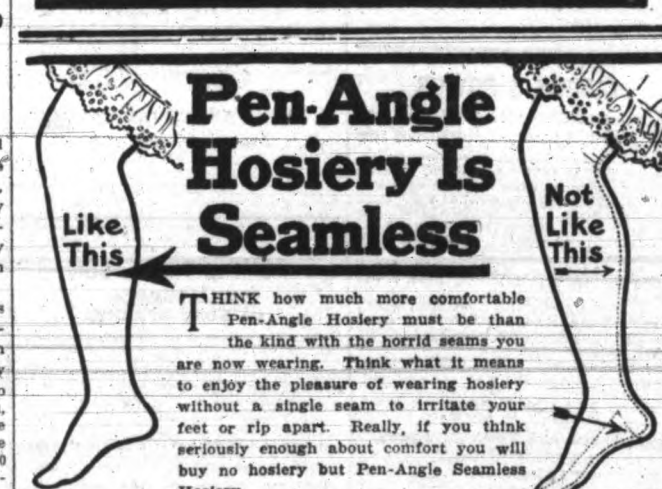
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EXTENDING WATERMANS.
Vancouver, Nov. 19.—Superintendent Madison has outlined to the civic water committee the 1910 programme for the extension of permanent city mains. The list covered 3.05 miles of four-inch pipe, 8.26 miles of six-inch, 46 1/2 miles of eight-inch, and 2.20 miles of 12-inch. One hundred hydrants will be placed at street intersections in connection with the laying of the main and proper crosses and valves, also placed installed. The estimated cost of the work is \$78,280, which is provided in the \$100,000 Waterworks by-law passed last month.

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DUNCAN BUSINESS FIRMS AMALGAMATED
New Brick Block to Be Built for Joint Stock Company.
(Special Correspondence.)
Duncan, Nov. 19.—The two largest firms of Duncan are to be united into a joint-stock company. The firms amalgamating are those of W. P. Jaynes, whose business is the oldest in the district, and Messrs. Pitt and Peterson, established in Duncan eleven years ago. The deal was arranged by J. H. Whitmore, of Duncan. W. P. Jaynes will be chairman of the board of directors; A. H. Peterson, managing director, and T. Pitt will be on the directorate and will be actively engaged in the new business.

INDIANS HOLD BIG POTLATCH
Distribution of Gifts at Comiaken Village, Near Duncan.
(Special Correspondence.)
Duncan, Nov. 19.—A big potlatch has just been held in the Comiaken Indian village near Duncan. During last week Indian Johnny called in all his accounts. On Monday and Tuesday the potlatch ceremonies and masked dances were held, and free gifts of parts of blankets and 50-cent pieces were made on Wednesday and the visiting Indians dispersed.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEET IN CONVENTION
Address by Representative From Alberta—Resolutions Discussed.
New Westminster, Nov. 19.—Despite the hitch over the dates, which threatened for a time to cause the postponement of the assembly, the convention of British Columbia school trustees, which opened at Chilliwack Wednesday morning, was splendidly attended, there being present over fifty delegates, covering practically the whole of the province.
The morning was devoted to the enrollment of members and work in committee, the first regular session of the convention being held in the afternoon. The afternoon session commenced at 2 o'clock, the principal item on the programme being the address delivered by W. J. Brotherton, of Moose Jaw, representing the Alberta school trustees. Mr. Brotherton dealt with the general principles of education, enunciating a number of points which should be observed by trustees in dealing with the teachers and schools under their care. His address was interesting and suggestive, and at its close he was accorded a hearty vote of thanks by his hearers.

TRAMWAY EXTENSION.
New Westminster, Nov. 19.—From present indications the B. C. Electric line from New Westminster to the Fraser River Mills will be the next line to be constructed by that company. A surveying party is now at work in the country east of here surveying a line to the Mills and upon the completion of this work it is expected that the construction of this line will be commenced.

PROTECTING BANKS OF COWICHAN RIVER
Breakwater Has Been Completed—Sale of Work in Aid of Church Funds.
(Special Correspondence.)
Duncan, Nov. 19.—Work which has been in progress during the whole summer on the embankment of the river has now almost reached completion. A breakwater of about one-half mile, has been built. It consists of a double row of piles strongly braced with a layer of planks on the side near the river, with piles of brush and gravel to prevent the river washing out the piles. The heavy rains of the past few days have given the work a fairly good test and the work has held satisfactorily.
Within a few days W. J. Shearing, bridge foreman, takes part of his gang of men to work on the new bridge being built across the Cowichan river near Cowichan lake. This bridge when built will help to open up the district around the south end of the lake for settlers.

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\$2,500—Two story seven-roomed house, all modern conveniences, situated on lot 50x137; apple, cherry, pear and plum trees, also small fruit. North Park street.

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THE MATTER OF THE "NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT" (BEING CHAPTER 12 OF REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1906).
TAKE NOTICE that The Grand Trunk Pacific Town and Development Company, Limited, in pursuance of Section 7 of the above Act, has deposited in the office of the Registrar of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, a description of the proposed site thereof to be constructed upon part of and in front of Lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13) and part of fourteen (14), Block seventy (70), Victoria City in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa in the Province of Ontario, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia (being the registrar of deeds for the district in which such work is proposed to be constructed).
And take notice that at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, application will be made to the Governor in Council for the approval thereof.
Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 22nd day of October, 1909.
DARCY TATE,
Solicitor for the Applicant.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
IN DIVORCE AND MATRIMONIAL CAUSES.
To Helen Roakamp, Late of the City of Victoria, B. C.:
Take notice that a citation bearing date the 6th October, 1909, has issued at the instance of Herman Hendrick Roakamp, in and against the said Helen Roakamp, to appear within 21 days after the last day of December, 1909, and to answer the petition filed by the said Herman Hendrick Roakamp praying for a dissolution of marriage; and such citation contains an intimation that for the purpose aforesaid you do appear in the said court then and there to make answer to the said petition, and that in default of your so doing a Judge of the said court will proceed to hear the charge proved in due course of law and to pronounce sentence thereon, your absence notwithstanding.
Dated this 25th day of October, 1909.
B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
Registrar.

Voters' List
The attention of householders, not being the assessed owners of property, is drawn to the following extract from the "Municipal Elections Act":
"Provided that no person shall be entitled to vote under a householders' qualification, nor shall his or her name be included in the annual voters' list of a Municipality, unless he or she shall, on or before the first day of December in each year, enter with the Assessor or Clerk of the Municipality his or her name as a voter and shall make and cause to be delivered to the Assessor or Clerk of the Municipal Council at the same time a statutory declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, or Clerk of the Municipality."
J. S. FLOREY, C. P. C.

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Bookkeeping
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Business College
VICTORIA BUSINESS COLLEGE—P. M. man's shorthand, touch typewriting, bookkeeping, etc., unlimited dictation practice by Edison's business phonograph.

Dentists
DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone—Office, 37; Residence, 12.

Elocutionists
BREATHING, gymnastics, elocution taught; also dramatic art. 188 Medina street.

Land Surveyors
THOS. H. PARR, British Columbia land surveyor, Room 5, Five Sisters' Block, Victoria.

Legal
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Blasting Rock
NOTICE—G. Zarelli and J. Paul, contractor for rock-blasting.

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PRINTS—Any length in one piece, six cents per foot. Timber and land maps.

Boat Building
VICTORIA BOAT & ENGINE COMPANY, LTD., boat and launch builders.

Boot and Shoe Repairing
NO MATTER where you bought your shoes, bring them here to be repaired.

Builders' Supplies
WM. N. O'NEIL, Co.—Jas. M. Mellis, Mgr. Mantles, stoves, tiles, lead lights, etc.

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Optician
OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY'S EXPERIENCE and fine modern equipment is at the service of my patrons.

Painter and Decorator
PAINTING CONTRACTOR—K. E. EHL, 157 Amelia street. All kinds of painting, kalsomining, etc.

Patents
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MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewelry and personal effects.

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REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND OTHERS TO insure quick sales of properties should get them photographed.

Plumbing and Heating
HOT WATER HEATING—J. H. Warner & Co., Limited, 31 Fisgard St., above Blanchard St.

Pottery Ware, Etc.
SEWER PIPE, Field Tile, Ground Fire Clay, Flower Pots, etc.

Scavenging
JOHN PRIOR, Scavenger, Leave orders at Empire Cigar Store, 1112 Douglas St.

Second-Hand Goods
BUTLER, J. R.—Successor to A. J. Winston, dealer in second-hand furniture, stoves, books, etc.

Stump Puller
STUMP PULLER—Made in 3 sizes, for sale or for hire.

Tentmakers
JEUNE & BRO., makers of tents, sails, etc., 579 Johnson St.

Truck and Dray
PHONE 182 FOR JEPSON TRANSFER—Trucking and expressing.

Turkish Baths
221 FORT ST.—Phone 1854. Will be open till 11 p. m.

Watch Repairing
A. FETCH, 99 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairing.

Y. W. C. A.
FOR THE BENEFIT of young women in or out of employment.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria.

W. A. GATT.

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Agents Wanted
MEN WANTED—We want men in every locality in Canada to advertise our goods.

For Rent—Houses
FOR RENT—Snug six roomed cottage, half a minute from Oak Bay car line.

For Rent—Stable
TO LET—Stable—two building 15x45, centrally located.

For Rent—Store
TO LET—Part of store, good location, rent reasonable.

For Sale—Acreage
FOR EXCHANGE—1 section wheat land, fenced, 30 acres broke, 4 miles from good town.

For Sale—Articles
FOR SALE—Full patent rights for U. S. and Canada of soap and toilet articles.

For Sale—Machinery
STATIONARY ENGINES, steam, gas, gasoline or oil engines.

For Sale—Lots
LOT, SHOAL BAY—The cheapest buys in the district.

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MRS. F. V. JACKSON, medium and clairvoyant, 1313 Douglas street.

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DAVE ST.—5 roomed cottage, facing the sea, price \$2,800.

\$1,500 BUYER in Victoria West, a modern 6 roomed cottage.

NEW, modern 5 roomed cottage on Denman street.

FOR SALE—New 5 roomed cottage, nicely situated in the best residential part of James Bay.

A MAN SHOULD NOT PAY RENT, he can get a home of his own by paying five hundred dollars down.

FOR SALE—Two new houses, five and six rooms, modern conveniences.

GOOD INVESTMENT—For sale, 3 new, modern cottages, 5 and 6 rooms.

FOR SALE—Two nice cottages in course of erection on Seaview street.

FOR SALE—Eight roomed house overlooking Beacon Hill Park.

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Help Wanted—Male
WANTED—Stripper, boy or girl, at once.

WANTED—Partner, \$5,000. Join advertiser, price individual, no agents.

WANTED—Partner to learn telegraphy, good chance. Apply Box 645, Times Office.

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LOT, SHOAL BAY—The cheapest buys in the district.

GOOD LEVEL LOT, on corner of Shakespeare and Denman streets.

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TO TAKE FIELD
Great Northern Engineers Will Leave New Westminster Shortly.

That the Great Northern Railway company will next spring commence work on the construction of a line across the Hope mountains.

Throughout the past summer the Great Northern had survey parties out through the Hope mountains.

Some time ago a party which had been surveying for the G. N. R. in the Hope mountains came into the city.

Saturday Snaps and Dairy Fed Pork, etc.

- FRESH CRISP GINGERSNAPS, to-day, 3 lbs. 25c
KEILLER'S AND C. & B. MARMALADE, to-day 1-lb. tin 10c
DAIRY FED LOIN PORK, per lb. 18c
DAIRY FED PORK CHOPS, per lb. 18c
MILK FED CHICKENS, per lb. 30c
PURE PORK SAUSAGE, per lb. 20c
FINNAN HADDIE, per lb. 15c

DIXIE H. ROSS & CO.

Telephones 50, 51, 52 and 1590. INDEPENDENT GROCERS, 1317 GOVERNMENT ST.

IMPORTANT SALE OF LAND IN ESQUIMALT DISTRICT

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by the Commissioner of Lands, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the DRIARD HOTEL, VICTORIA, on

Monday, November 22nd, 10.30 Sharp

about 60 acres of Land, situated in the Esquimalt District, near to Ferguson's Bridge, being Lots 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, sub-divisions of section 32.

TERMS—One quarter cash, and the balance in three equal annual instalments, bearing interest at 6 per cent.

Further particulars can be obtained from

THE AUCTIONEER, STEWART WILLIAMS

This Week's Special

3 NEW PAPER BOOKS for 25c
3 NEW CLOTH BOUND ILLUSTRATED BOOKS for \$1
Something specially good at

'The Exchange' JOHN DEAVILLE - PROP. Phone 1737 718 Fort St.

Maynard & Son AUCTIONEERS.

We will hold our regular sale at salesroom, 1214 Broad Street.

SATURDAY NIGHT 8 O'CLOCK.

Consisting of: Lot of Groceries, Dry-goods, Chinaware, Carpenter Tools, Lace Curtains, Clothing, etc.

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VIOTTO

COURVOISIER OTTO OF VIOLETS An exquisite violet odor. The very latest in perfumes. We have it in small glass-stoppered bottles in attractive boxes; also in bulk by the ounce.

Try Courvoisiers Shampoo Powders JOHN COCHRANE CHEMIST. N. W. Cor. Yates and Douglas Sts.



Dominion Carriages

FIRST IN QUALITY LATEST IN DESIGN BEST IN FINISH

B. C. HARDWARE COMPANY, LTD. 1510 JOHNSON STREET Office Phone 82 Phone 1611

Saturday Suggestions

- FANCY MILK FED CHICKENS, per lb. 30c
MUFFINS AND CRUMPFETS, per dozen 20c and 40c
SPANISH ONIONS, 3 lbs. 25c
GRAPES (3 varieties), per basket 30c
FRESH OYSTERS, per jar 30c
GENUINE HOLLAND-RUSKS, per packet 20c
WE'RE SURE TO HAVE A FRUIT BARGAIN. CALL AND SEE.

The West End Grocery Co., Ltd. 1002 GOVERNMENT ST. Tels. 88 and 1761.

KEEP YOUR HENS LAYING

SYLVESTER'S HEN FOOD will do it because it contains all mixed grain, bone and grit, also beef, which when combined cannot be equalled for the production of Eggs.

Per 100 pounds \$2.25 Sylvester Poultry Supply House. Tel. 413. 709 Yates.

Peter McQuade & Son SHIP CHANDLERS

Wholesale and Retail Phone 41 1214 Wharf St.

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Allen Whyte & Co. (Rutherglen, Scotland) Wire Ropes; Hub-buck (London) White Lead, Linseed Oil; Davies (London) White Lead and White Zinc; H. Rodgers & Sons (Wolverhampton) Gen White Zinc; Sherwin Williams Paints and Oils.

We also have Elephant, Tiger and Burrell's White Lead.

SEES AN END TO WHITE PLAGUE

WILL DISAPPEAR IN GENERATION IN CASES

It Is Contracted in Childhood as a Rule—Regard of Health Laws.

Dr. R. W. Phillip, of Edinburgh, the well-known authority on tuberculosis, recently delivered an address of peculiar value and contemporary interest before the British Medical Association. He took for his subject "The Outlook on Tuberculosis." He believes that the disease will disappear in a generation or two among those nations which consider the observation of the laws of sanitation a part of civilization.

There are homes, indeed, which are veritable nests of tuberculosis, and according to the speaker, tuberculosis is not only to be credited with a much greater proportion of mortality in childhood than is usually conceived, but is largely responsible for the aggravated manifestations of otherwise simple ailments.

"As for the occurrence of tuberculosis in the community generally, Dr. Phillip deems that it is far more prevalent than is commonly believed, and he concludes that the mortality within a district may safely be multiplied by ten to express the number of cases of pulmonary tuberculosis worthy of medical surveillance.

"Concerning the larger prospect of tuberculosis, Dr. Phillip is very optimistic—many will think unduly optimistic. He believes that everything points to its early and final disappearance, and states that this should not be impossible of achievement within a generation or two among nations which regard public health as an integral part of civilization.

COLLECTING TAXES. St. Petersburg, Nov. 20.—A special dispatch from Harbin, Manchuria, states that the authorities in that city have adopted a more energetic policy in the matter of municipal taxation since the visit of Finance Minister Kokokuyoff. The police have instructions to begin immediately the collection of taxes from foreigners who have established themselves here.

CENTENARIAN WAS A HIGHLAND WOMAN

Dies in Glasgow at Great Age Of 112—Her History.

One of the oldest, if indeed not the oldest inhabitant in the United Kingdom, has died in Glasgow in the person of Mrs. Annie Campbell, who resided with her grand-daughter, Mrs. Thomas Hall, at 27-Queenshall-street, Springfield. She had reached the great age of 112.

Mrs. Campbell, who comes of Highland stock, was a native of Islay. Previous to her constant confinement to bed, which began over two years ago, she was very active about the house, knitting being her favorite mode of passing the time.

For a time doubt existed among her relatives as to her actual age, some maintaining that she could not be more than 105 or 107 years at the most. Those suggested-made inquiries in the Western Highlands, with the result that they were quite satisfied the old lady was 112.

At the end she had no teeth; "they simply dropped out one by one," she once remarked, "and I never knew what toothache meant. Never have I tasted medicine of any kind; but," she added with a smile, "I always like a drop of good whiskey."

On one of these occasions, when walking along Stockwell-street, Glasgow, with a big sum of money in her possession, Mrs. Campbell was attacked by six young hooligans at what was then called the "Black Close." She left three lying in the "close" and gave chase to the others. Many a hearty laugh she had over this incident.

THIS ATHLETE OF FIFTY-TWO YEARS

Says He Owes His Wonderful Energy to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Was Tortured With Rheumatism and a Cripple Till the Great Kidney Remedy Cured Him.

Six Nations, Ont., Nov. 19.—(Special).—Fifty-two years of age but still young enough to captain the lacrosse team, John Silversmith of this place can truly be looked on as a wonderful athlete. One would not naturally think he was all his life a healthy man. But it was far otherwise, and he unhesitatingly states that his wonderful energy and vitality are due to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I suffered from Rheumatism for over seven years," Mr. Silversmith says in telling his story, "and it finally made a complete cripple of me. My back was bent nearly double, and when I tried to walk I had to use crutches. Latterly I could not get around at all and I suffered excruciating pain. "Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills gave me relief; sixteen boxes cured me completely."

ESCAPE WITH CASH. Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 20.—Two masked men dynamited the safe in the Bank of Alleman, ten miles north of Des Moines, yesterday and escaped with \$1,500 in cash.

FIGUREHEADS OF FIGHTING SHIPS

Romantic History of Some Famous Ones in History.

The passing of a great battleship is like the passing of a brave warrior when he has fought his last fight. The body is broken, but the soul lives on. The story of the deed becomes a national treasure, and the name and the fame of it never die out.

"The old order changeth, giving place to new," but the old order bred brave men whose strong right arm made England's naval power the mightiest on earth. The ships are destroyed and their timbers turned into fuel or used for making enduring furniture, but some of the ornamental parts of the ship famous vessels are still preserved at the Baltic wharf of Castles' Shipbreaking Company, in London.

And at the bows an image stood, By a cunning artist carved in wood. With robes of white, that far behind, Seemed to be fluttering in the wind. And on the opposite pedestal is the huge scornful figure of Orion, a sailor's figure that carried a complement of 79 guns.

The Royal Albert, launched by Queen Victoria, and named by her, was a great ship in her day, carrying 197 guns, but now turned into firewood. Her noble figurehead, the Prince Consort, stands boldly out in front of the firm's office window.

Another link with royalty is the "scroll" of the Serapis, on which the King, then Prince of Wales, went to India in 1875. The Serapis was condemned in 1894, and broken up by Castles. The "scroll" is a huge star of gold on a blue shield containing the words "Heaven's light our guide."

Last year the Caledonia, one of Nelson's fleet, was broken up. The ship was engaged in the bombardment of Algiers in 1816, and in breaking her up Messrs. Castles found some striking proofs of her war record.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD

Table with columns: Constituency, Liberal, Conservative, Independent. Lists candidates for various constituencies including Alberni, Chilliwack, Cowichan, Delta, etc.

Disease of The Kidneys Brought on By Catarrh.

Pe-ru-na Made a Well Man of Me. I Cannot Speak Too Highly of It.

Mr. George King, 453 St. Denis St., Montreal, Canada, a well-known business man of that city, writes: "Peruna cured me from what the doctors were afraid would turn into Bright's disease, and after you have gone through the suffering that I have with catarrh of the bladder and kidney trouble, and have been cured you are pretty apt to remember the medicine that did the work."



MR. GEORGE KING

CATARRH of the kidneys is a very much neglected disease. It is not until the disease has a firm hold upon the kidneys that the patient begins to realize that there is some derangement of these organs. The slight backaches, the feelings of lassitude, and other warning symptoms of kidney disease are overlooked. They are not serious enough to detain the patient from his regular work.

MANTEL SALE advertisement. Just arrived, a carload of Oak Mantels in fine condition. 30 varieties in Flemish, weather and golden oak. Also many of these are unfinished and can be stained to suit your own woodwork.

holding a beautiful mantelpiece made of the mahogany of the Serapis, and surmounted by a harpoon gun and devices from famous ships.